

Mapping Architecture Concept for Universal Landing Automation



MANUFACTURING STATUS REVIEW

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Agenda

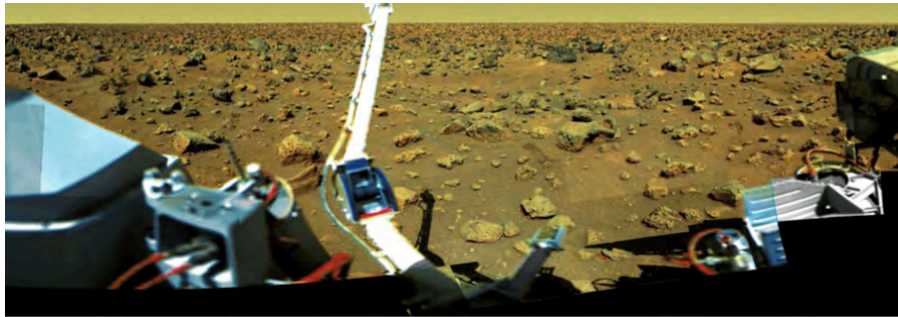


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OVERVIEW

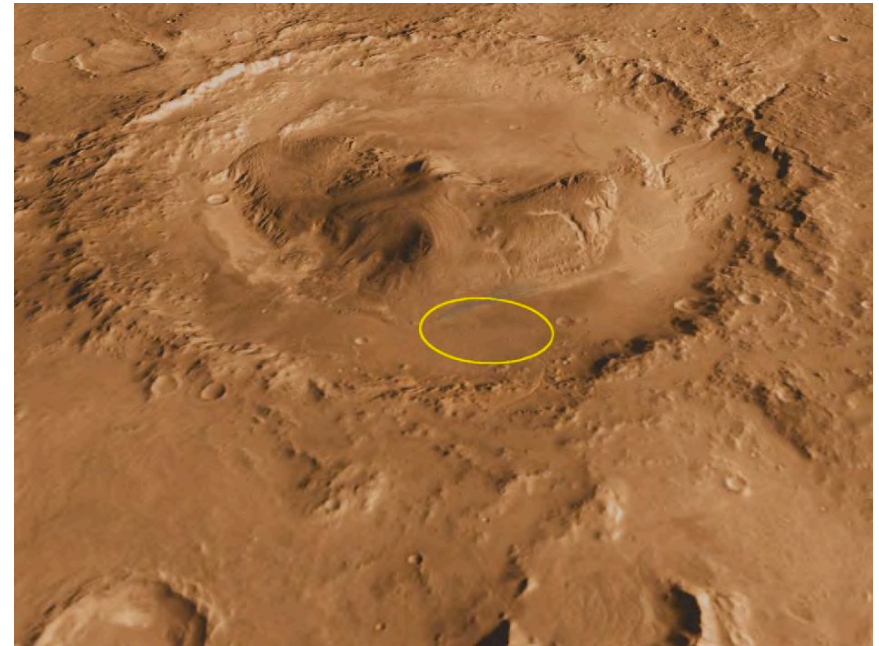
Motivation



Rocks on the Martian surface

http://geology.isu.edu/wapi/Geo_Pgt/Mod09_Mars/images/VIEWFRMLANDER2VLFMOS21.gif

Landing zones for spacecraft must be pre-determined as “safe,” and can be far from areas of scientific interest



**Curiosity's error ellipse on Mars
(20 km minor, 25 km major axis)**

http://www.nasa.gov/images/content/573652main_pia14294-anno-43_946-710.jpg

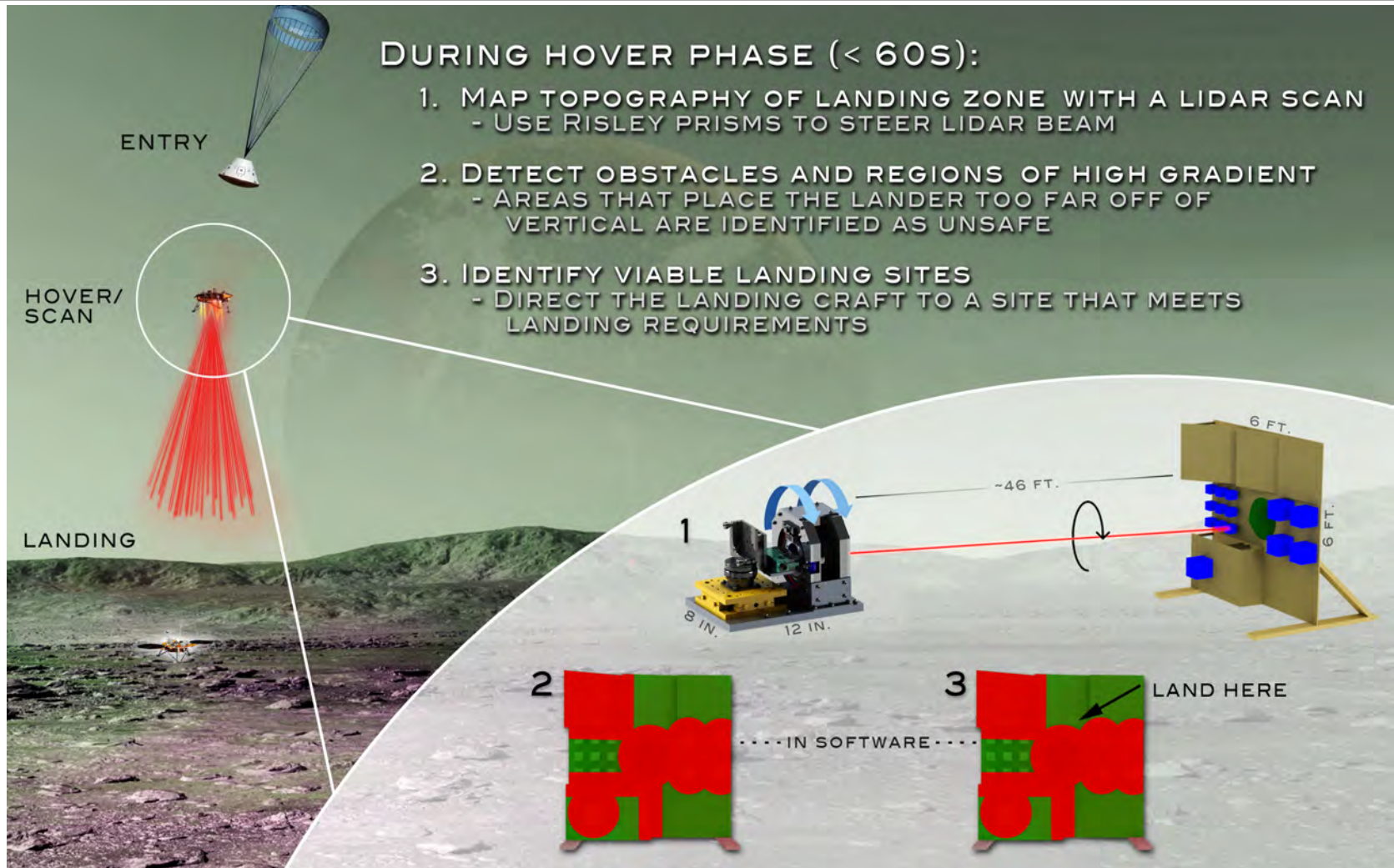
Project Objectives

Design, manufacture, and test a proof-of-concept light detection and ranging (lidar) scanning system for a landing spacecraft

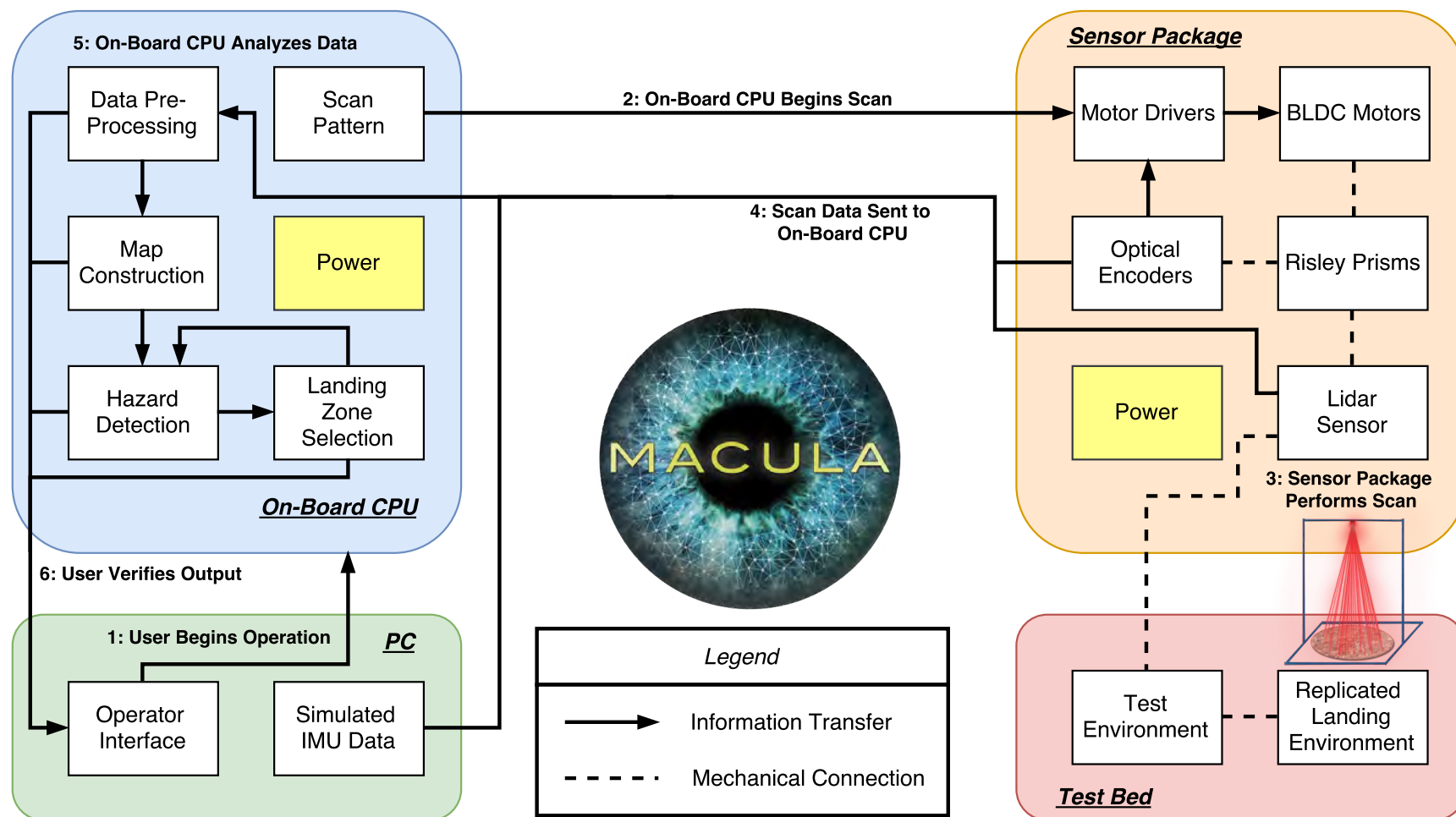
Success Levels:

1. Lidar sensor and scanning mechanism, mounted on a stationary platform, shall **record correlated range and attitude measurements** at a 0.1 m spatial resolution from a nadir distance of 14.1 m with a maximum 20° off nadir
2. System shall scan a known test scene and **project measurements into a 3D point cloud**
3. System shall scan a landing-zone mockup and **analyze the 3D point cloud for hazards**
4. System shall **select a safe landing zone**; if no safe landing zone is found, hazard definition will be loosened until a landing zone is found

Concept of Operations



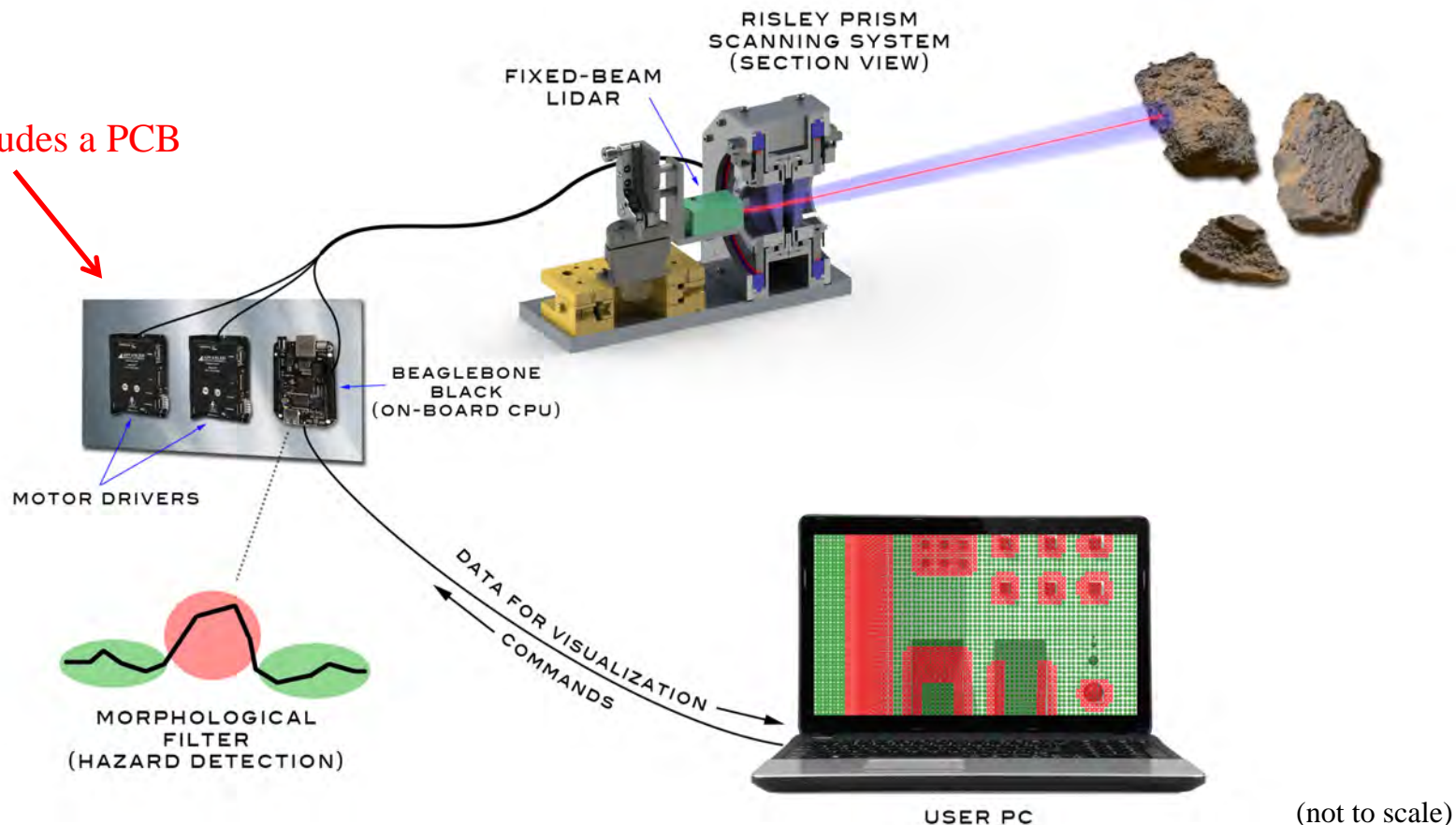
Functional Block Diagram



Current Design Overview



Now includes a PCB





Critical Project Elements



CDR Level CPEs:

1. Optics (obtaining range measurement)
 - Still a major CPE, driver of early testing effort
2. Riskey Prism Control (achieve desired scan pattern)
 - Still a major CPE, driver of early manufacturing effort
3. Embedded System (sensor communication)
 - Significant progress
4. Manufacturing (quantity of work)
 - Significant progress



SCHEDULE



Schedule Overview



Major Task Groups:

Scanning System Manufacturing

Testbed Manufacturing

Electronics Integration

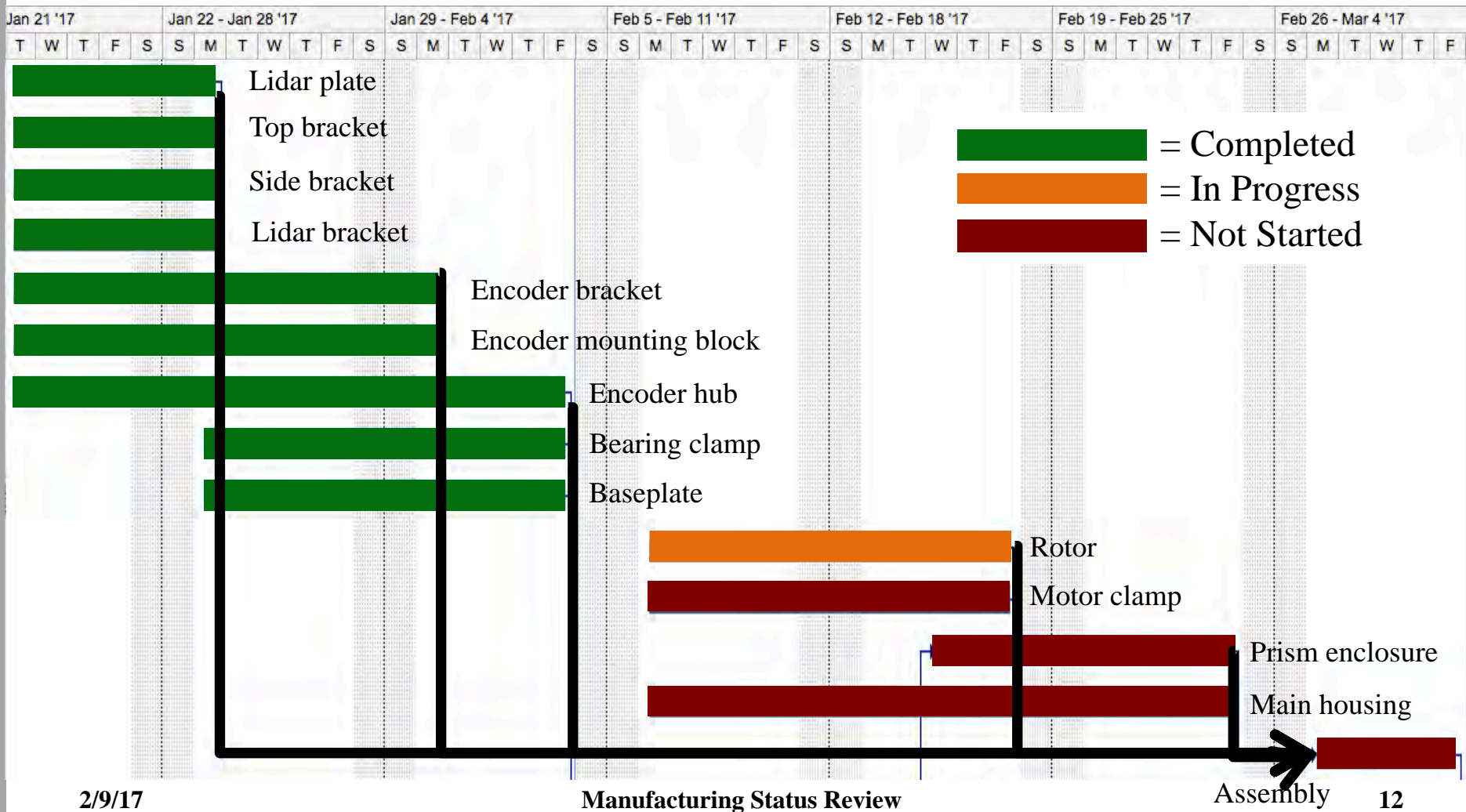
Software Implementation

Testing

Deliverables





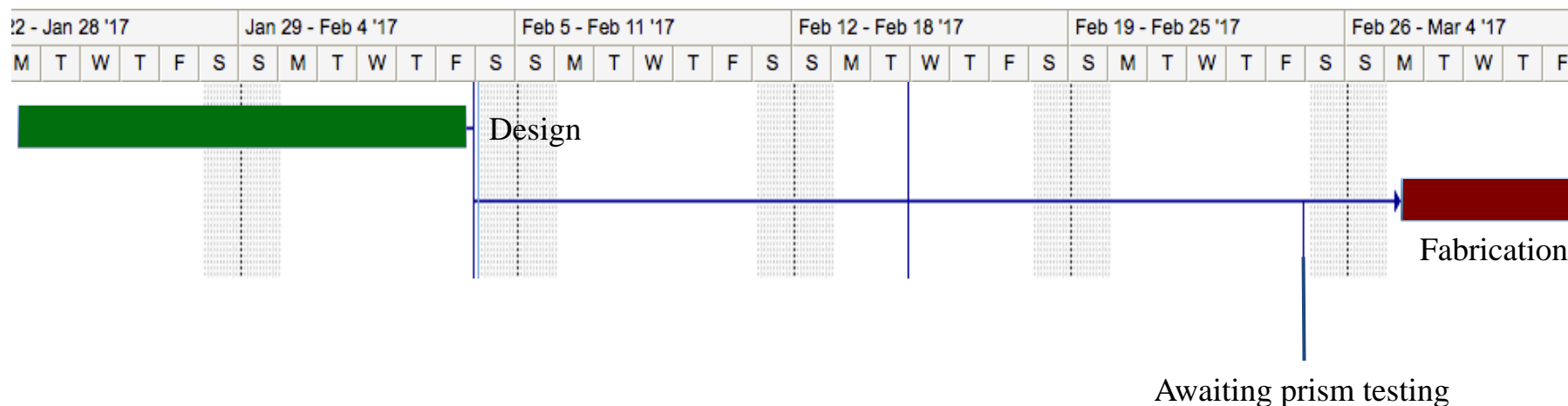
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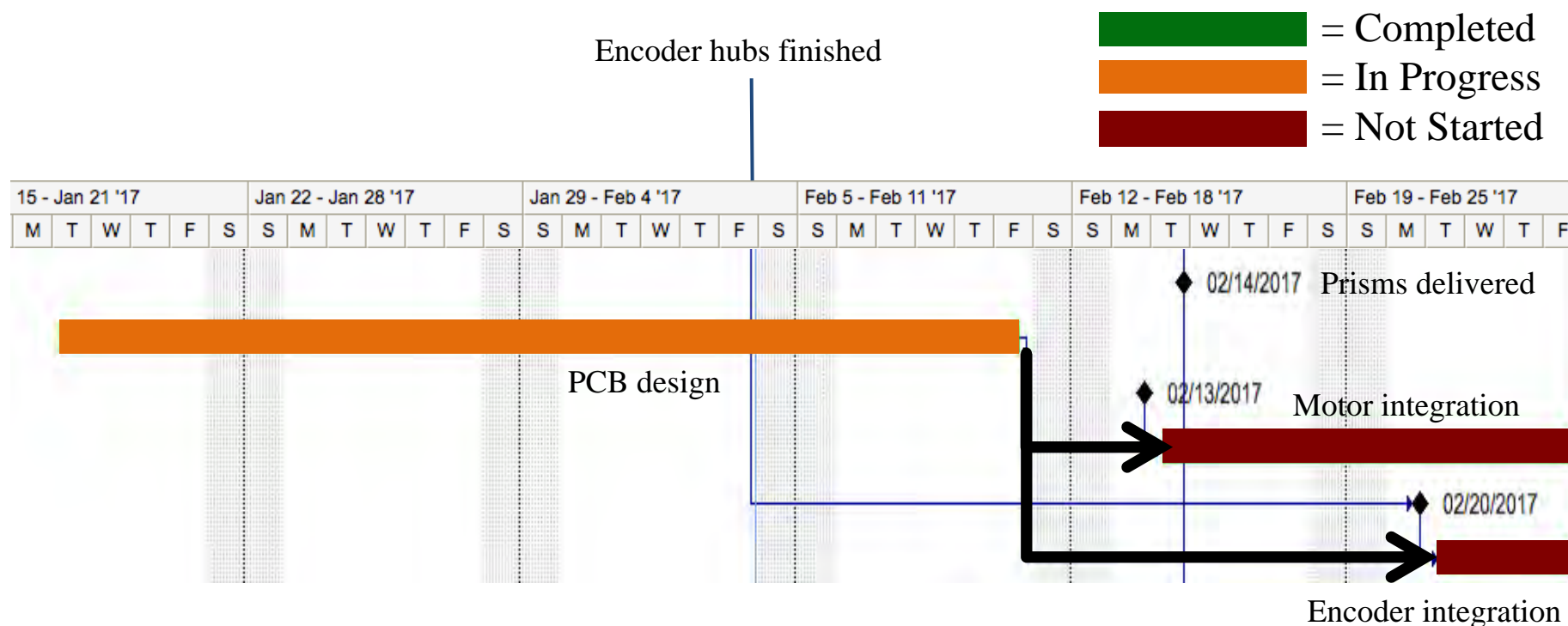


Testbed Manufacturing

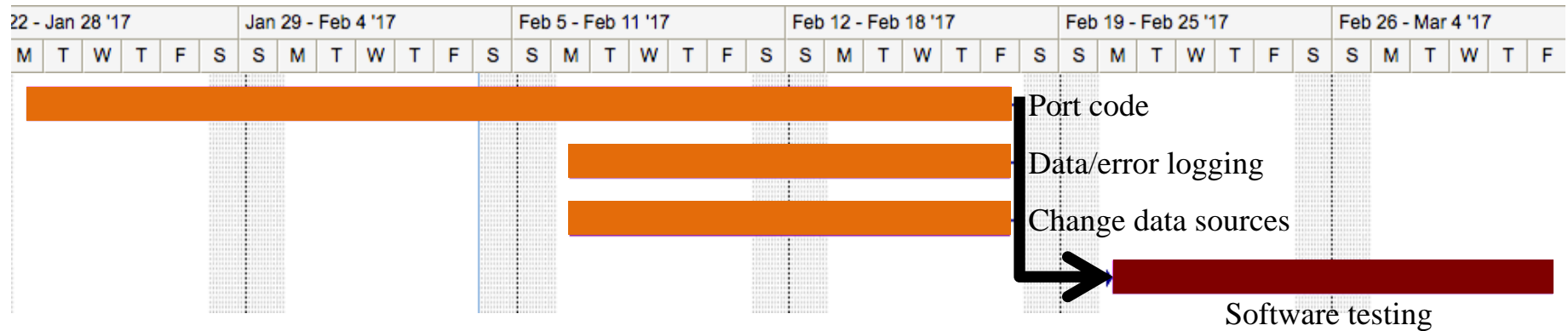


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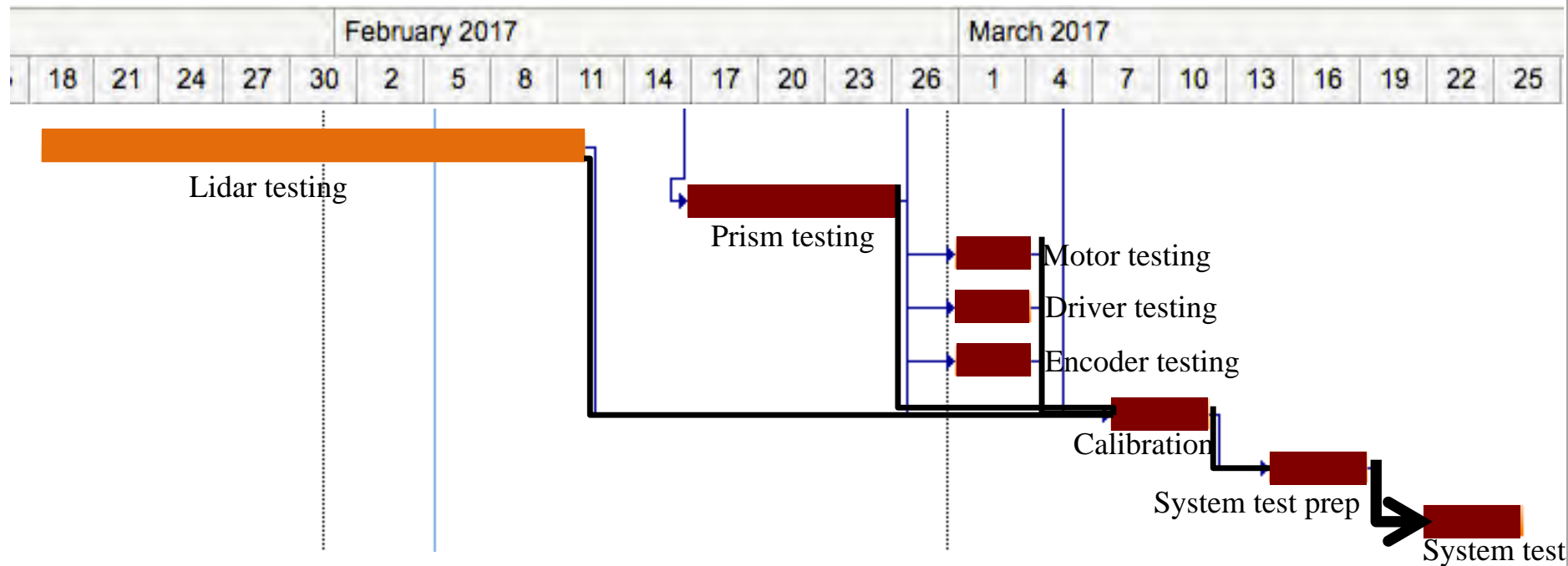


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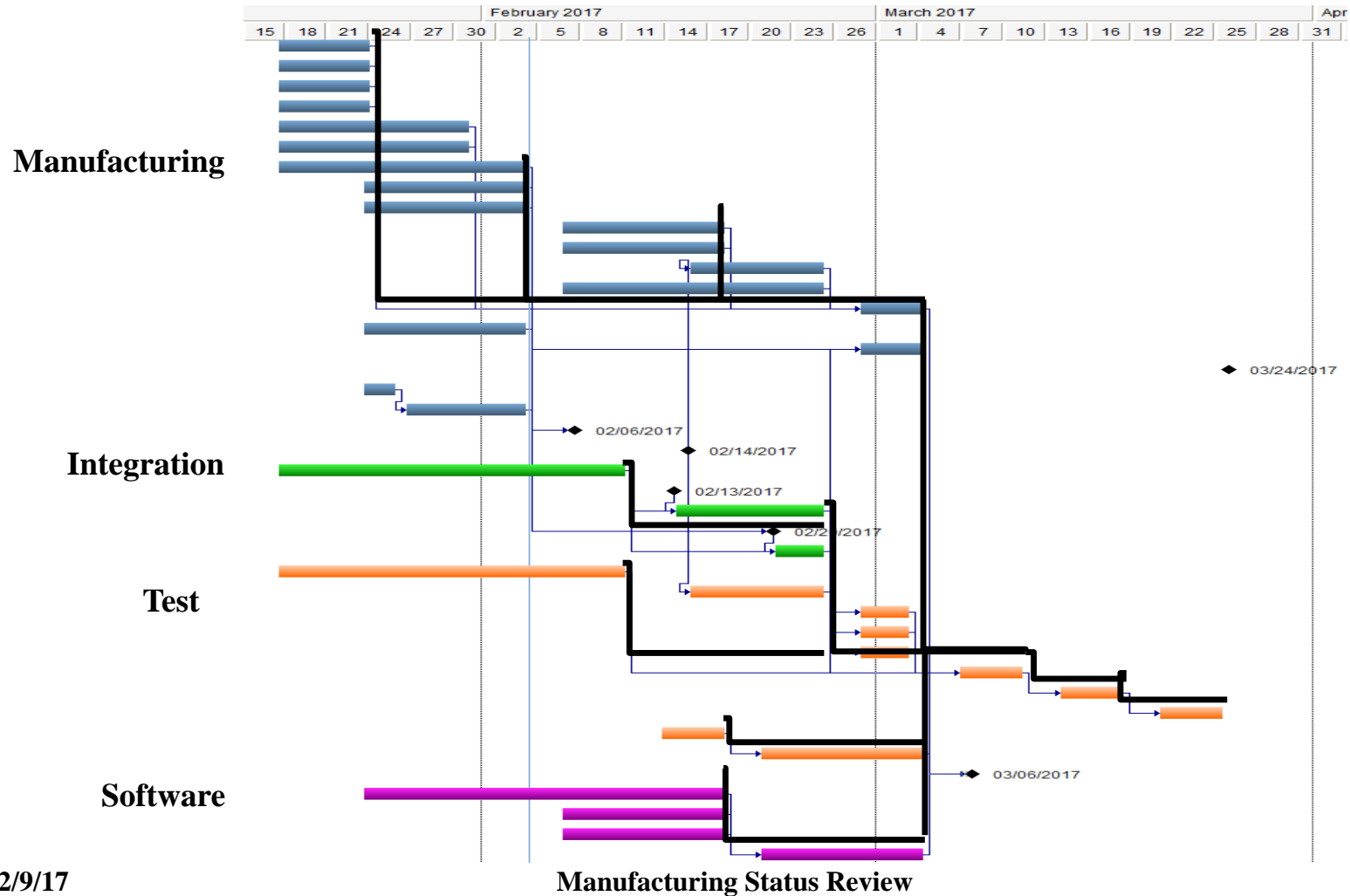


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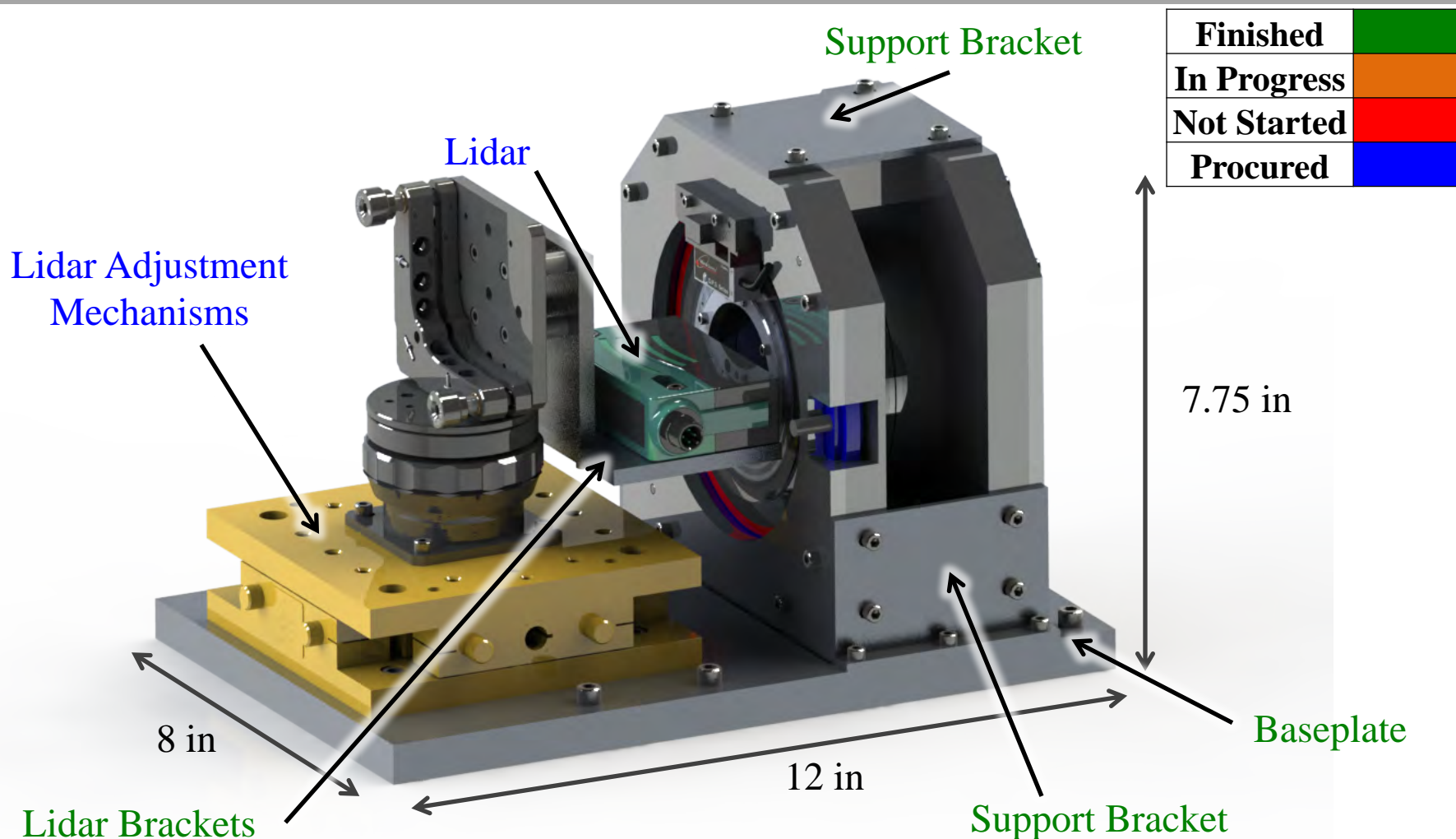
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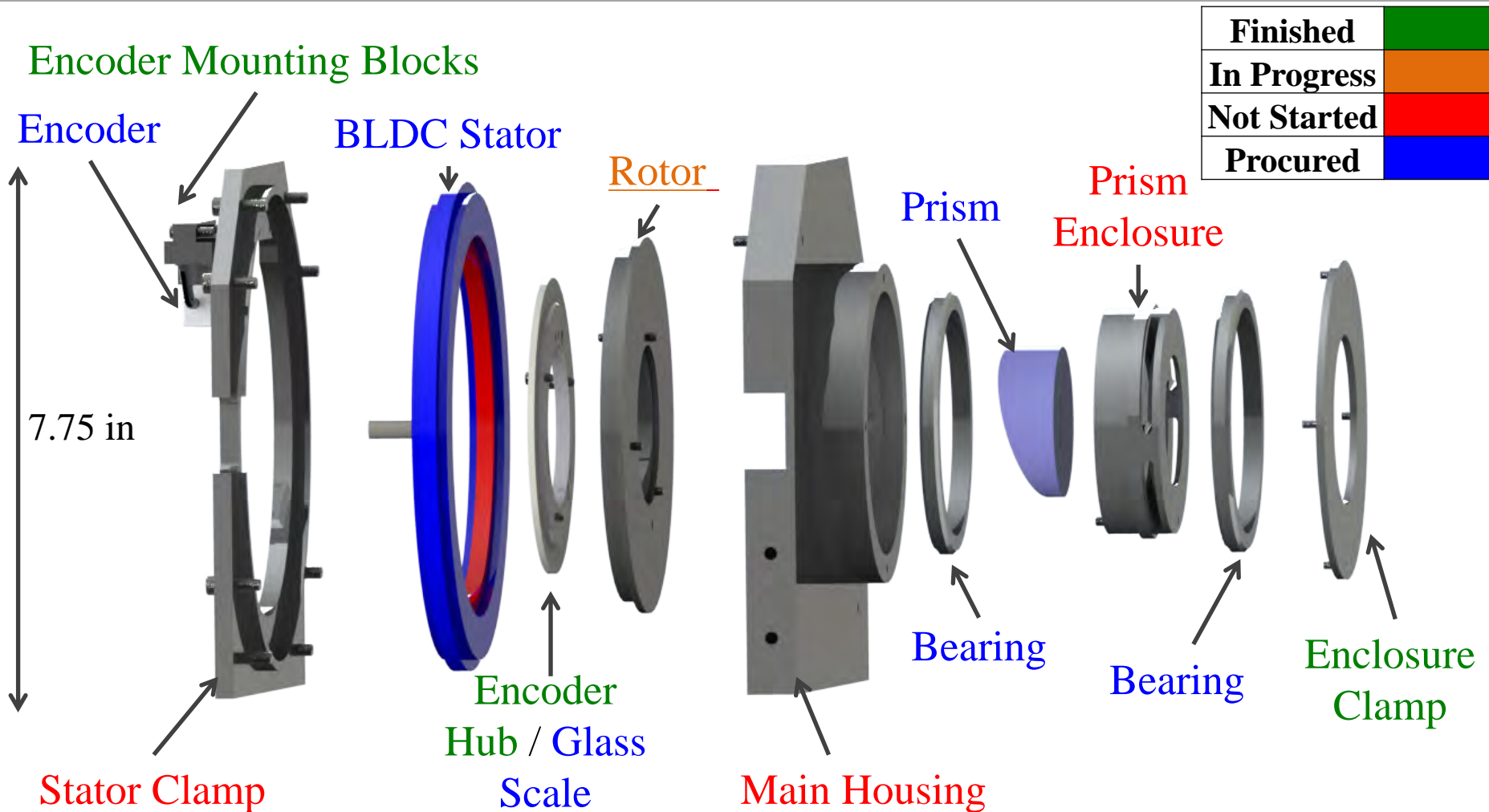


MANUFACTURING: MECHANICAL

Manufacturing Status



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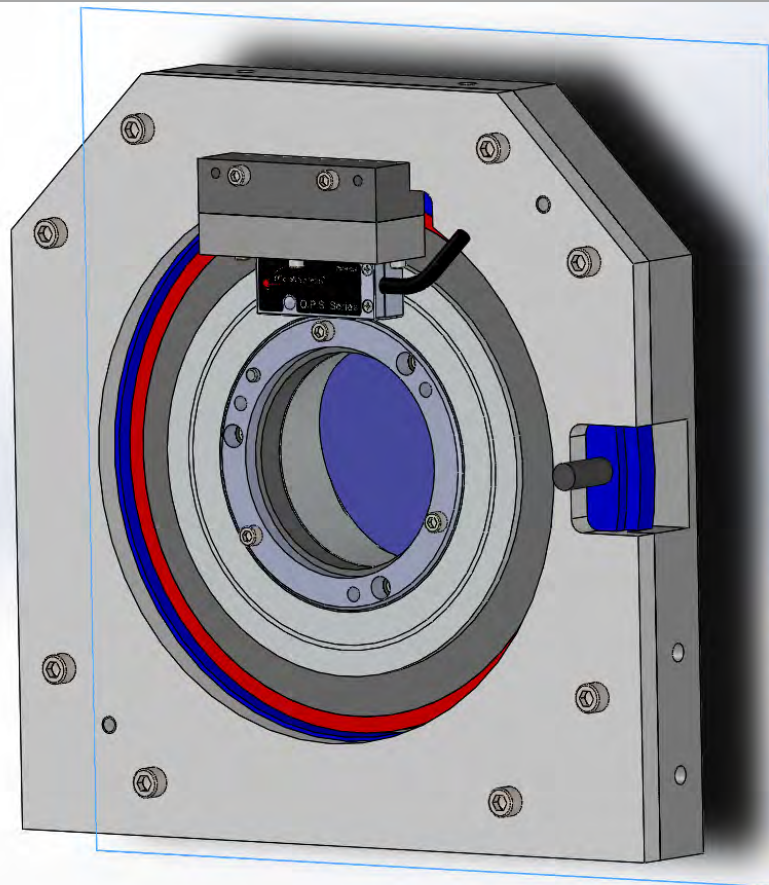


Manufacturing Preparation

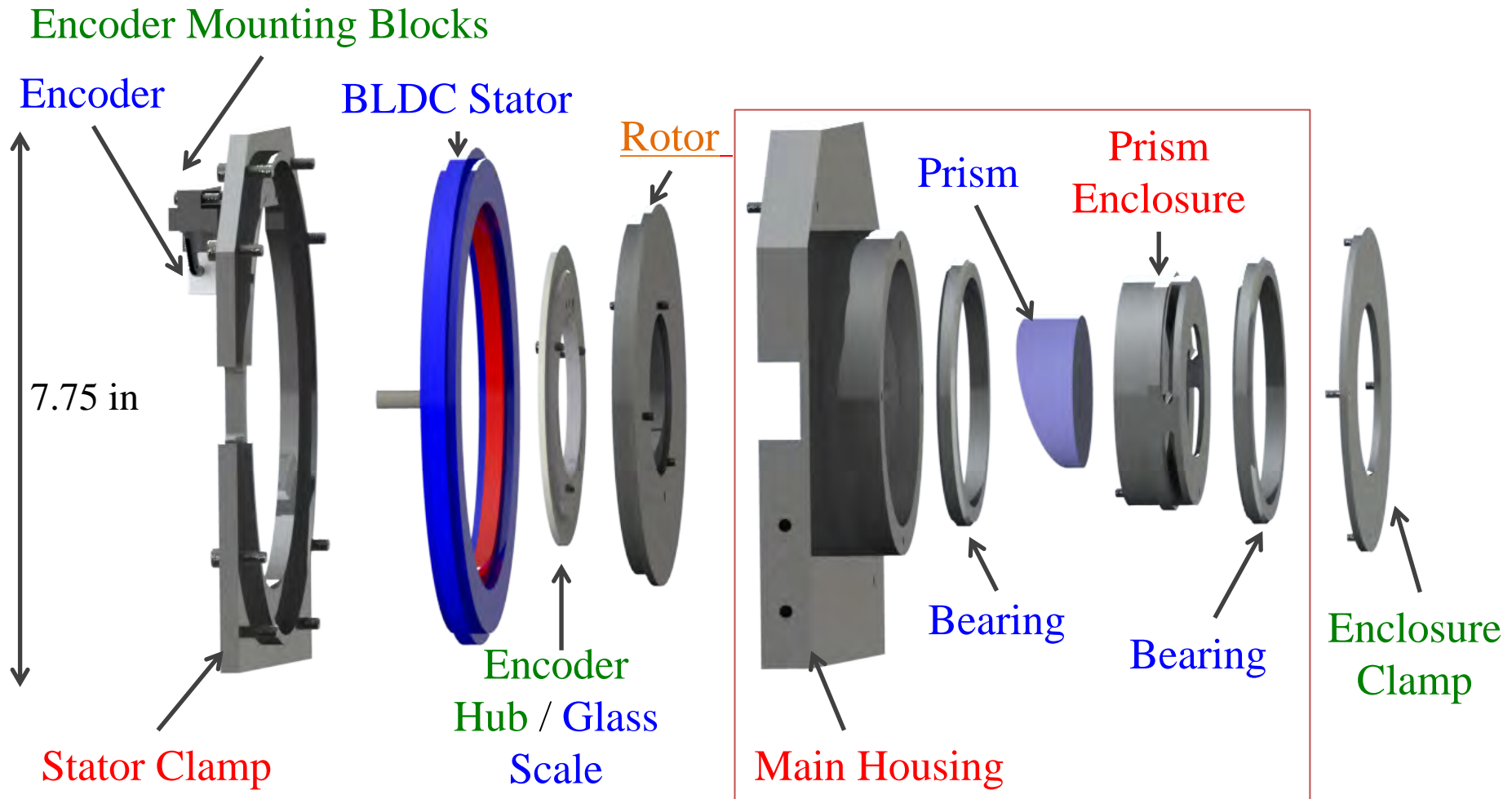


- All but one of the uncompleted parts are ready to be manufactured
 - All drawings completed
 - Required stock has been procured
 - Required tooling has been procured
 - Detailed manufacturing procedures are completed
- Prism enclosure requires additional design
 - Thermal expansion concerns
 - Allowable bearing preload
 - Finalization of features for UV curing epoxy application
 - Manufacturing cannot begin until 2/14

Critical Parts

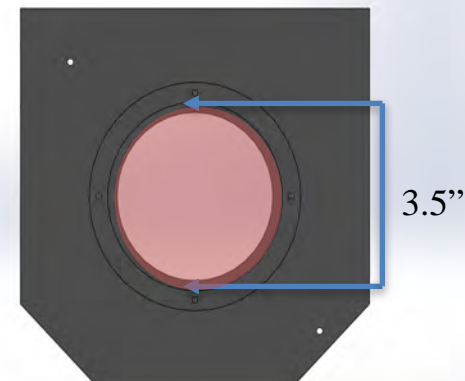
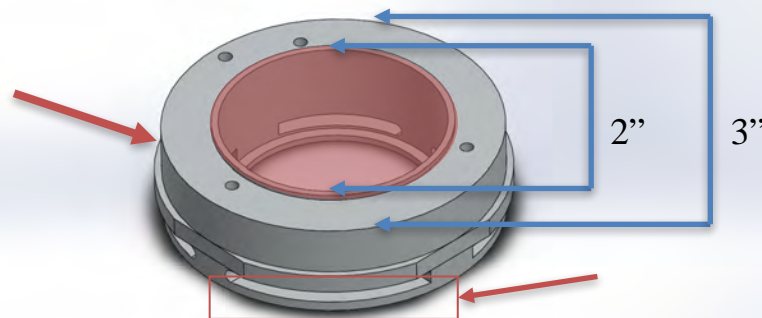


Critical Parts



- Interface

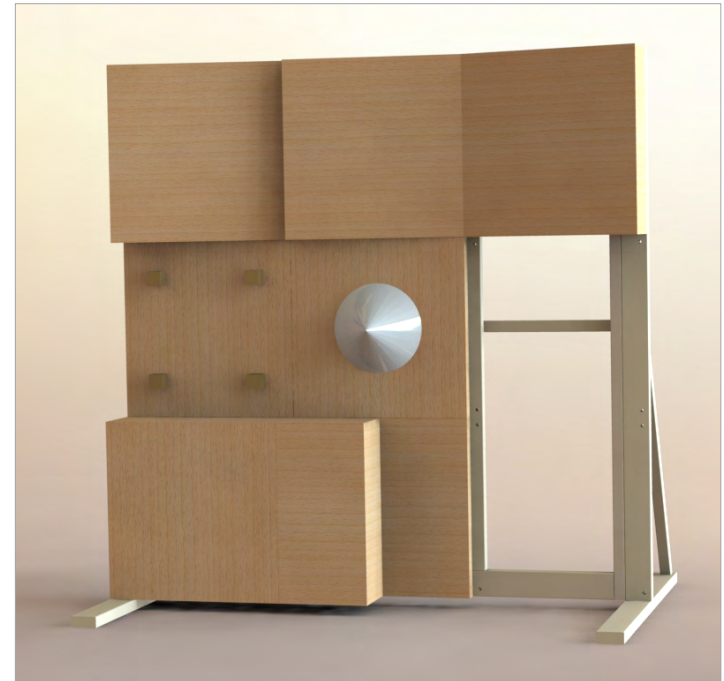
- Parts manufactured with excess material
- Measure the bearings, prisms, and relevant part diameter
- Remove material on the 0.001" and 0.0001" scale, measure and repeat
- Prism Installation: U.V. curing epoxy



Test Setup



- Construct a 6' × 6' landing zone mockup containing features of known dimensions
- Modular panels can be swapped and moved to any of nine locations
- Design is complete but construction will only occur if the lidar can get a return signal through the prisms





MANUFACTURING: ELECTRICAL/EMBEDDED SYSTEM

Required Tasks:

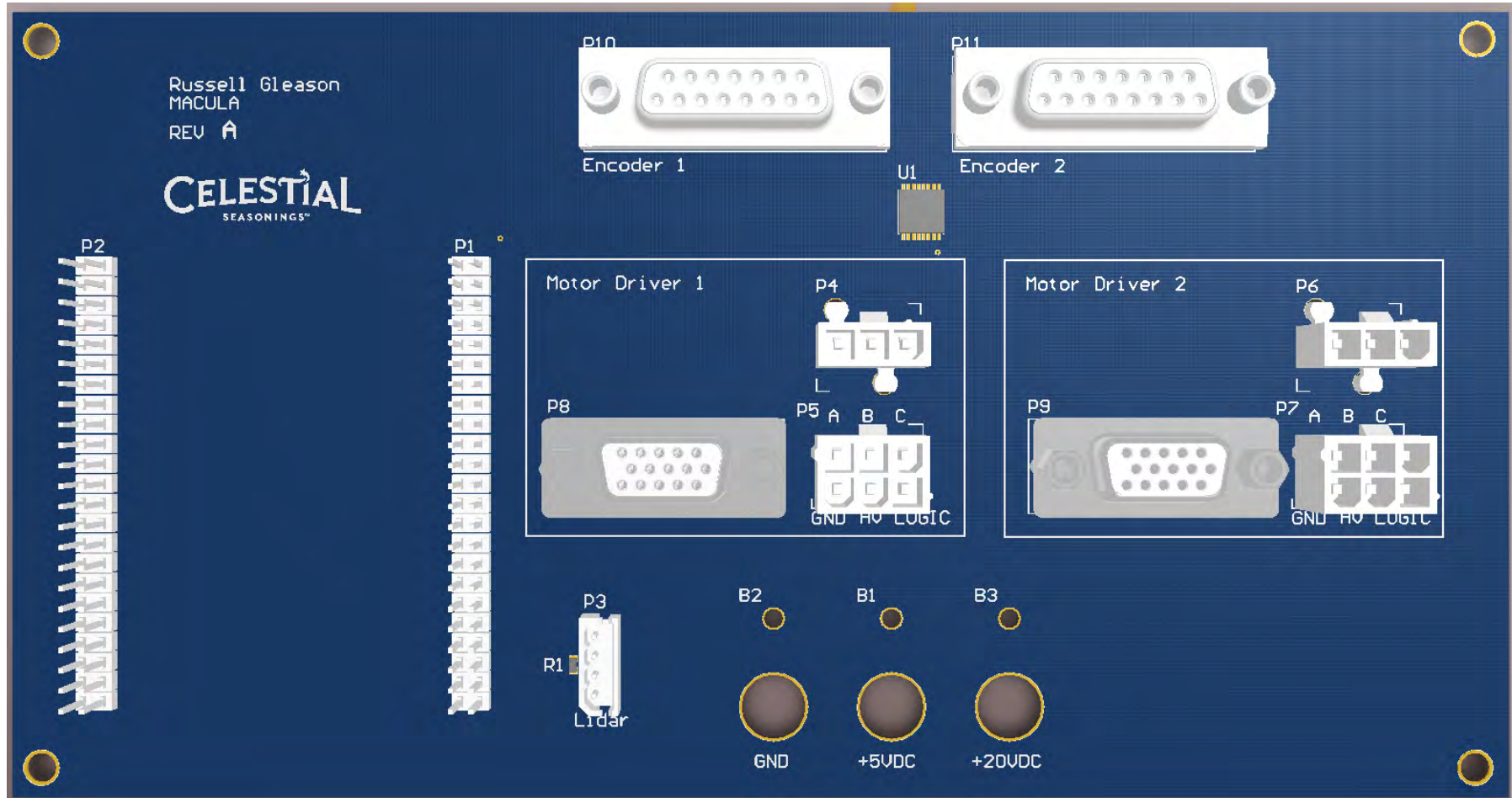
- PCB Design
 - Must provide communication between BeagleBone Black and encoders, drivers, lidar, and user PC
 - Must provide power to all systems
- PCB Population
 - Soldering of all components
- Integration of Embedded Systems

Changes Since CDR:

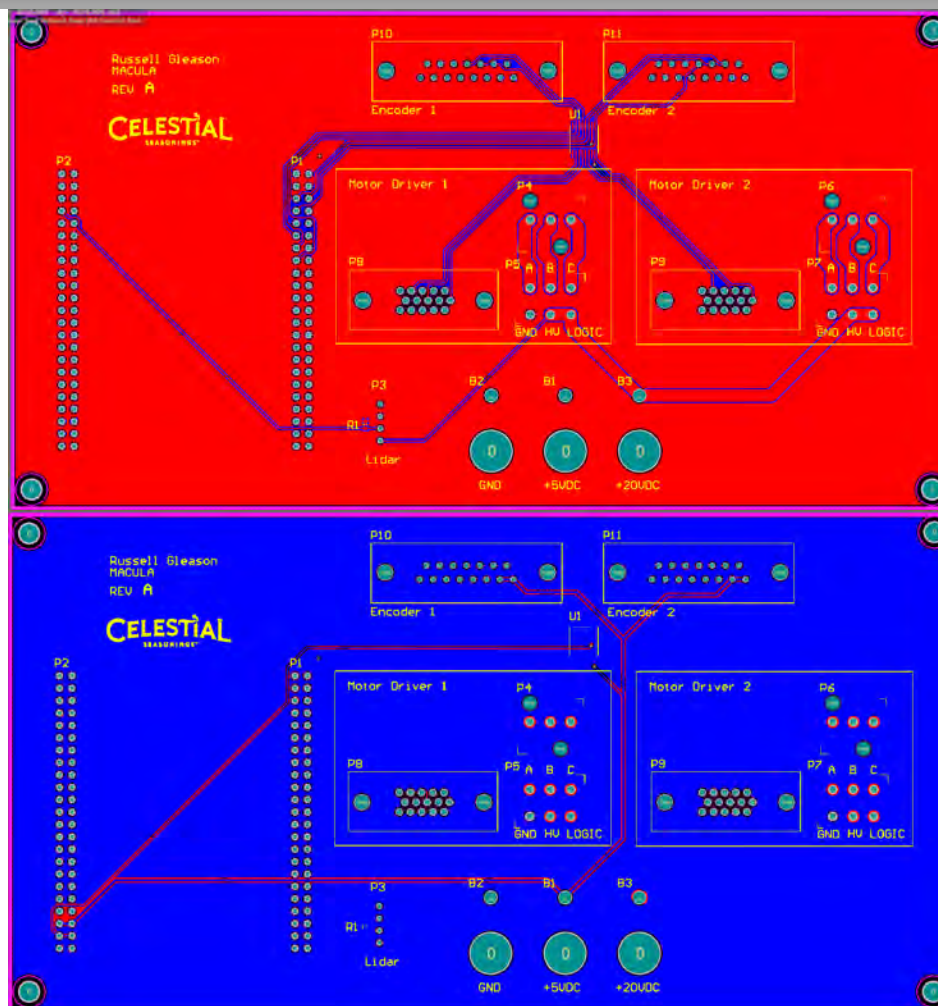
- RS485 → Ethernet



Completed Tasks



Completed Tasks



Remaining Work



PCB Population

- Simple components must be procured
- Components must be soldered to board



Integration Plan

- PCB will be connected to BeagleBone Black as a shield
- Lidar, motor drivers, encoders, and user PC must then be connected to PCB



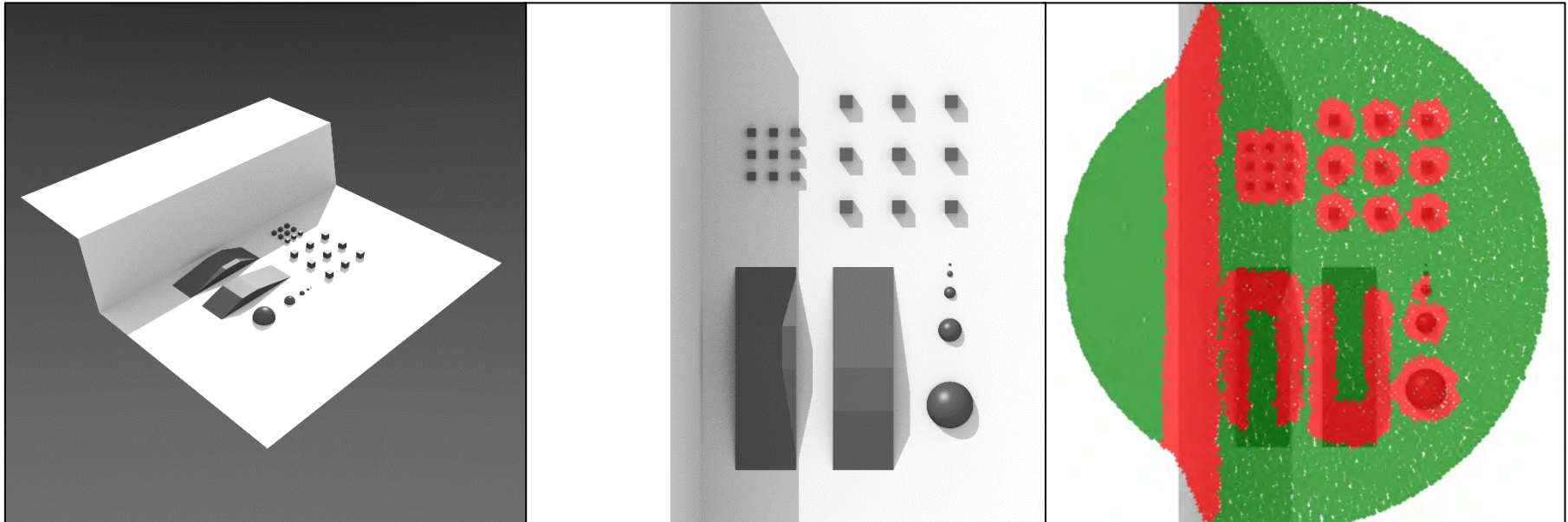


MANUFACTURING: SOFTWARE

Software: Completed Tasks

- Virtual scans performed in Blender allow for development and testing of hazard detection algorithms
- Hazards are found by looking at nearby height differences for each scanned point (Morphological Filter)

Hazard detection with expected uncertainties applied (after calibration)



Software: Still to Complete



- Algorithm speed improvements
 - Initial test shows a need for 70% reduction in computation time
 - Pre-computing distance matrices will provide a large speed improvement by reducing computations and eliminating threaded functions
- Interfacing with hardware
 - Implement logging of raw data
 - Apply coordinate transformations to translate sensor data into 3D space
 - The hazard detection algorithm already works with an incoming point stream; we just need to change the source of that data



BUDGET UPDATE



Component List



Component	Status	CDR Budget	Actual Cost	Margin
Lidar	Received	0	0	0
Motors	Pending (2/15)	1658	1628 (Shipping TBD)	+30
Encoders OPS+Grating	Received	1170	1147.61	+22.39
Bearings	Received	753.96	340.75	+413.21
Motor Drivers	Planned	877	[1507.5]	-630.5
Risley Prisms	Pending (2/14)	246	336 (Shipping TBD)	-90
Metal Stock	Received	849.77	433.55	+416.22
Tooling	Received	812	527.15	+284.85
Retro-reflective Tape	Pending (1 ordered)	460.98	42.16 (1 of 9) [418.82]	0
Testbed Materials	Planned	0	[200]	-200
Misc. Materials	Planned	466	[466]	0
Total		7293.71	4455.22 [7047.54]	+246.17
Budget		8300	8300	



Breakdown

- Total budget: \$8300 (\$5000 dept., \$1000 UROP, \$2300 customer)
- Total spent: \$4455.22
- Remaining purchases: \$2592.32
- Estimated total spending: \$7047.54 (\$7293.71 at CDR)
- Estimated Final Margin: \$1252.46 (15.1%)



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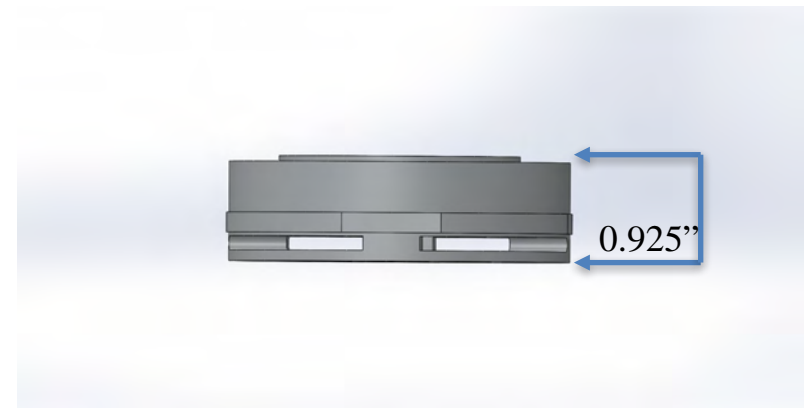
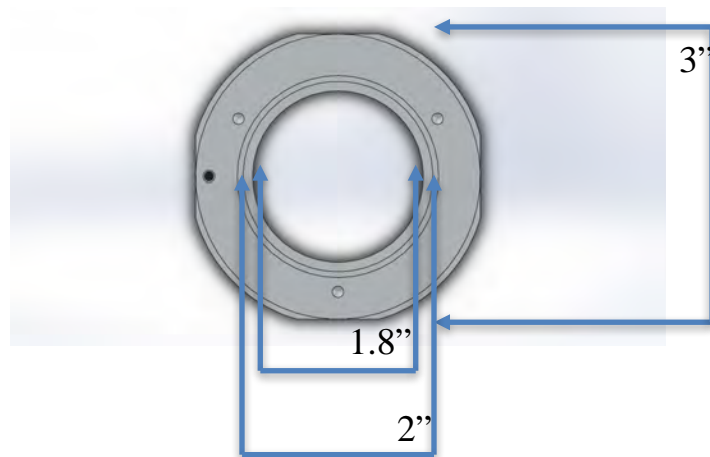
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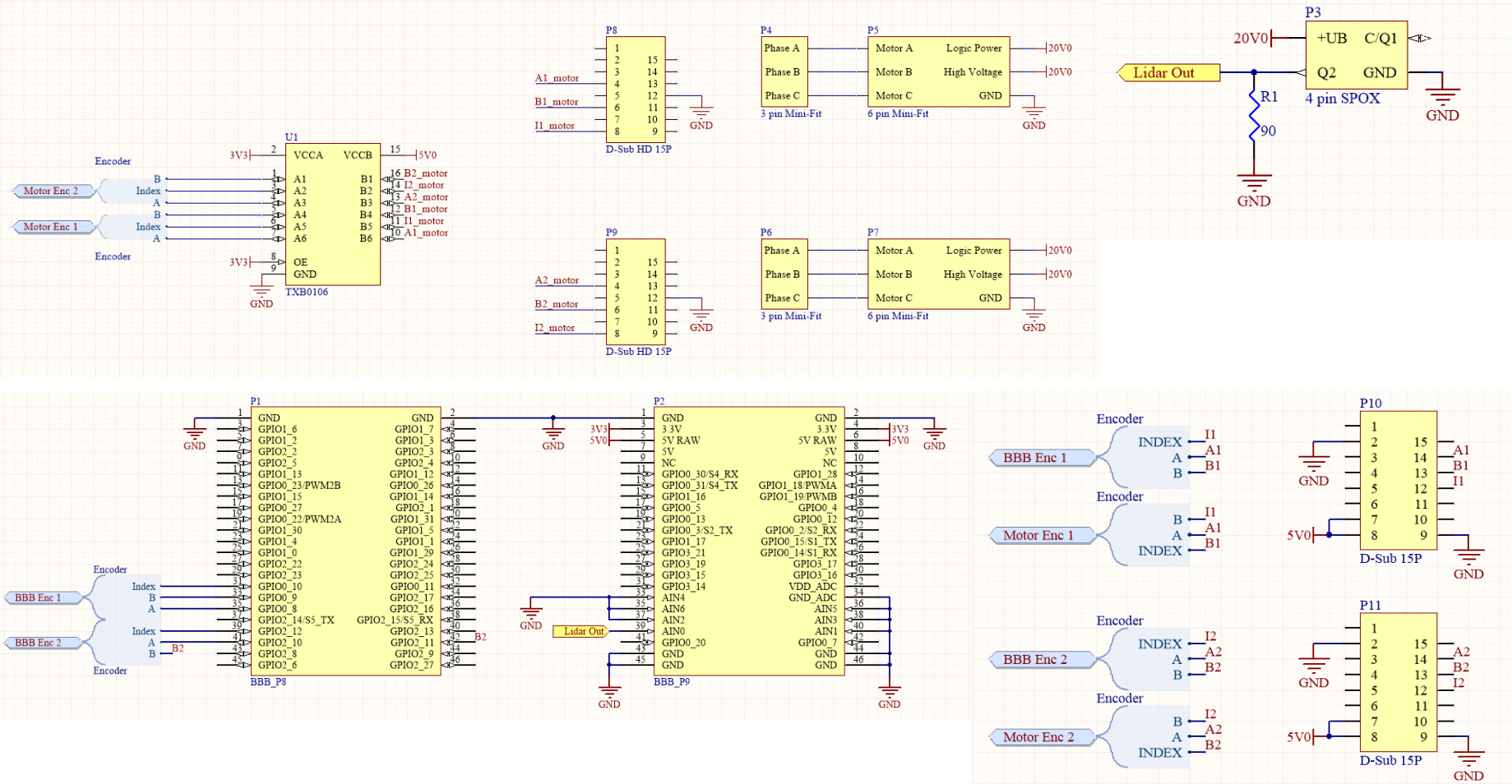
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• Prism Enclosure

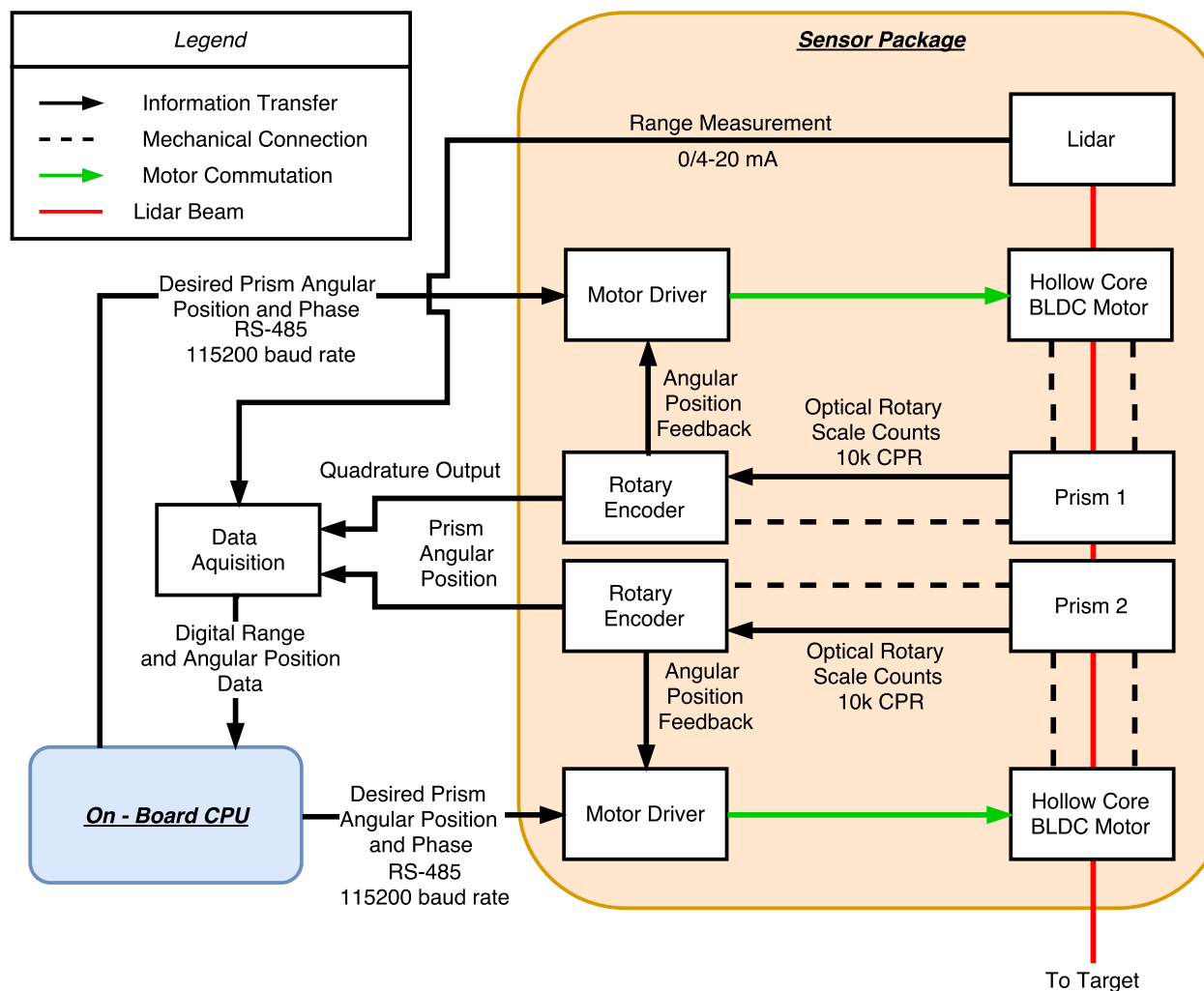
- Housing and interface for prisms
- Manufactured on CNC mill from square stock
 - Stock will be squared, creating points of reference
 - Can manufacture up to 1° for re-clamps



Backup



Hardware Architecture Diagram



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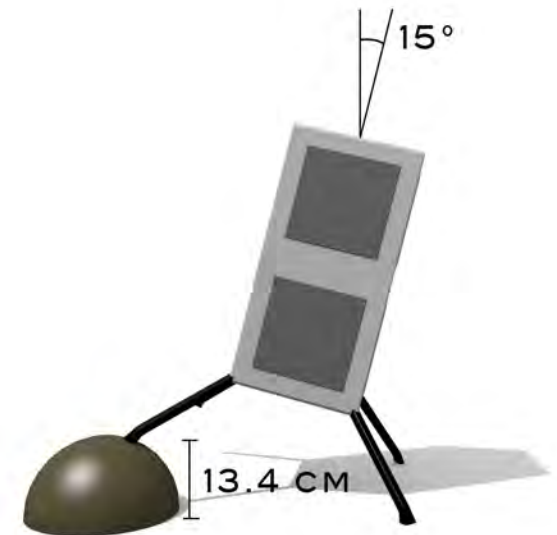
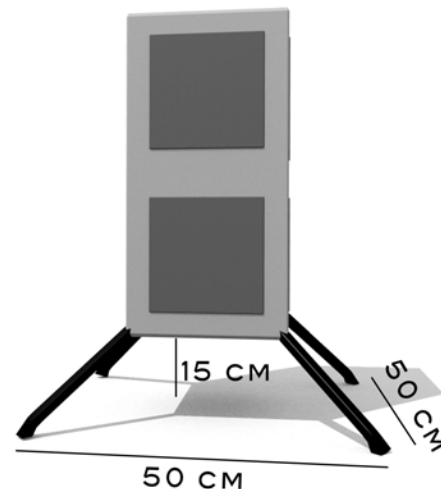
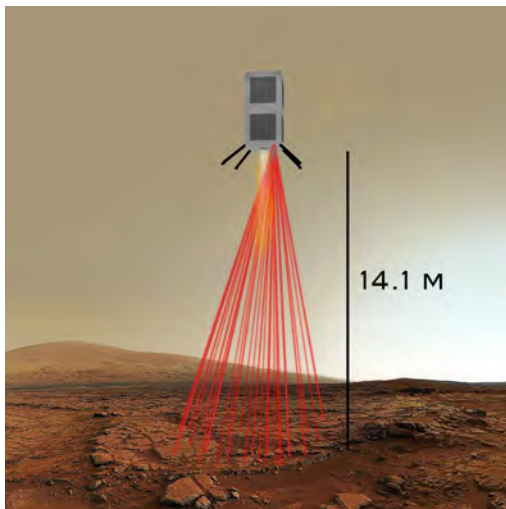
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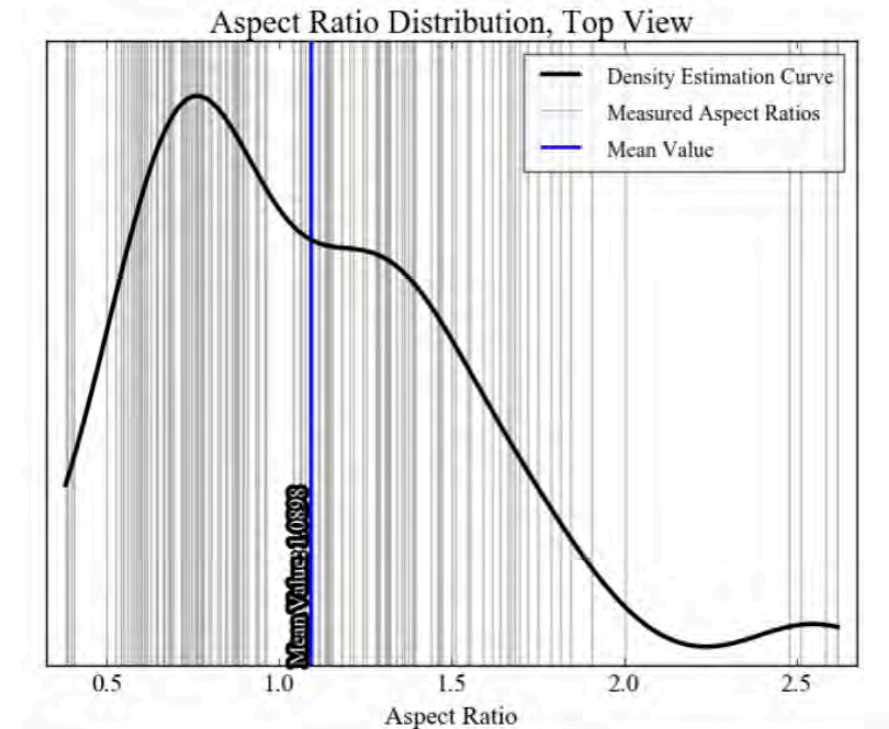
BACKUP: GENERAL CONCEPT

- Landing hazard definition based on hypothetical CubeSat lander dimensions
- Hazards (obstacles and gradients) identified where the lander could land more than 15° off of vertical
- Scanning resolution of 10 cm selected to detect ~98% of potential hazards

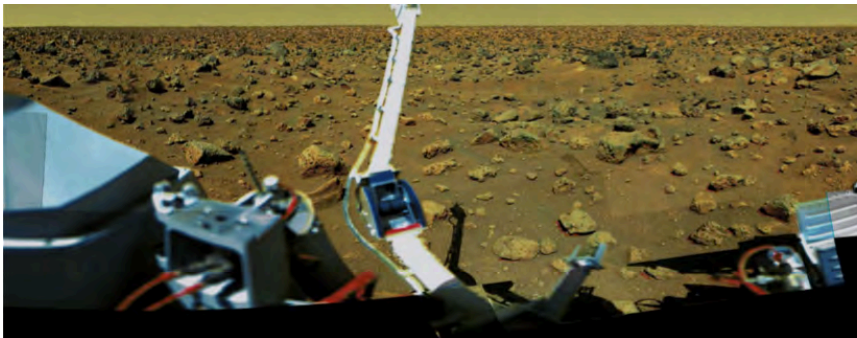




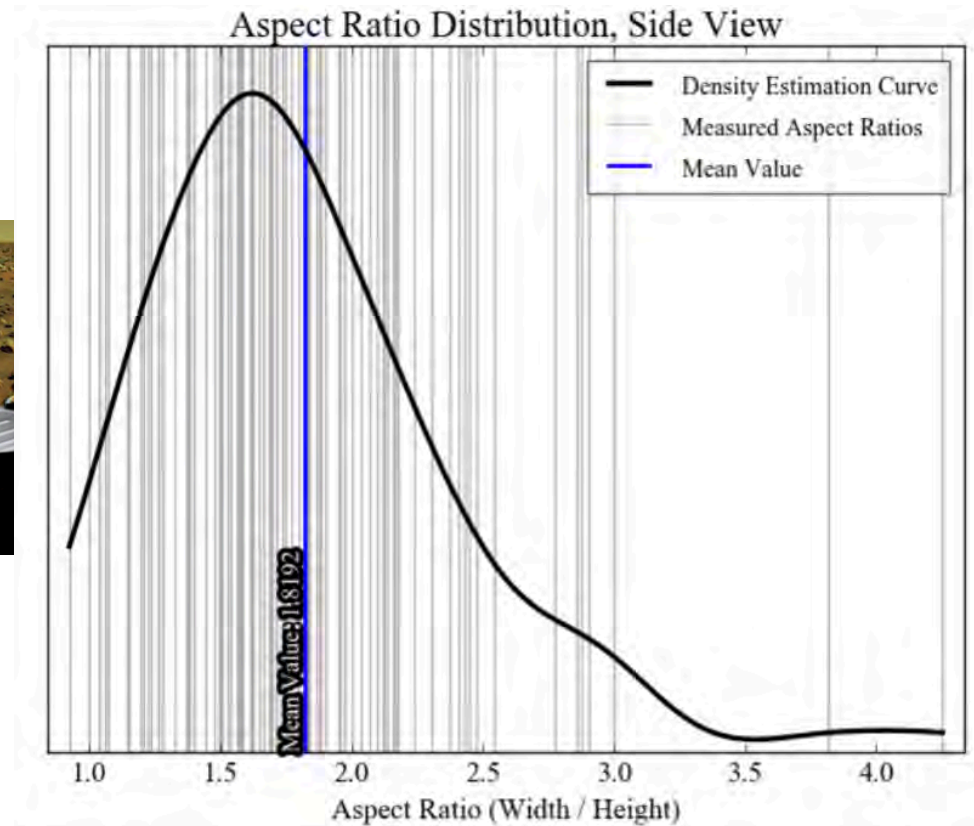
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Aspect ratio distribution



Side view of Martian surface

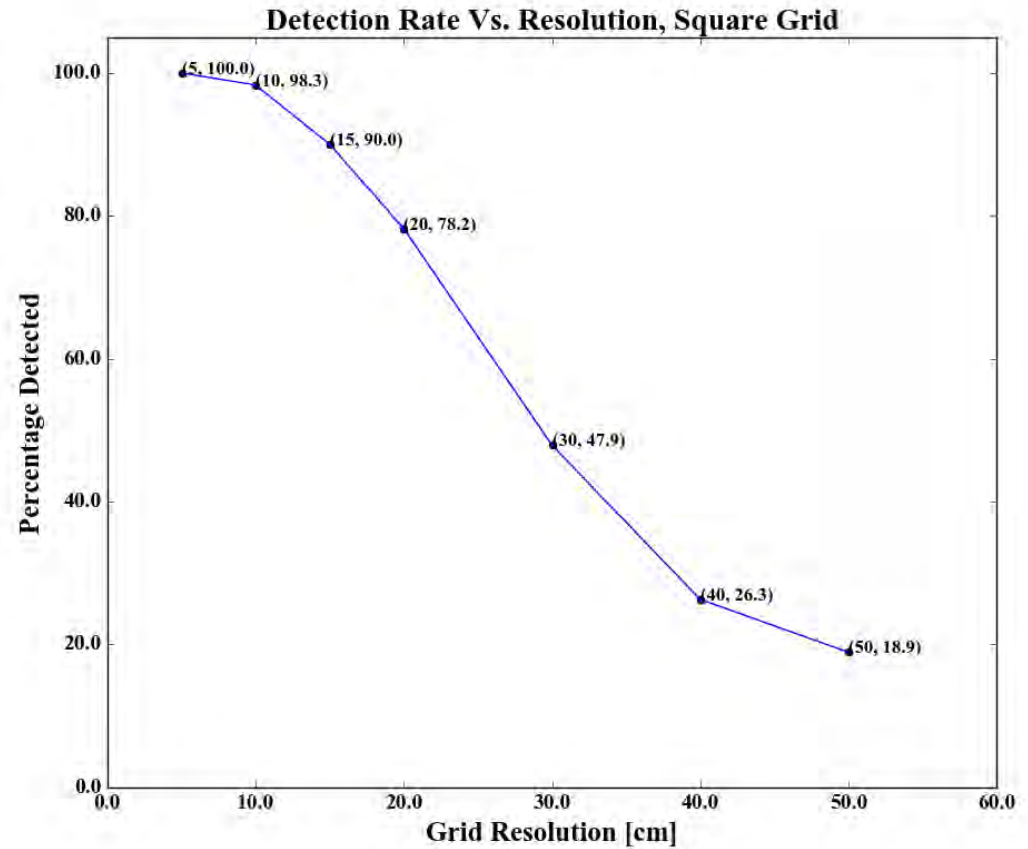


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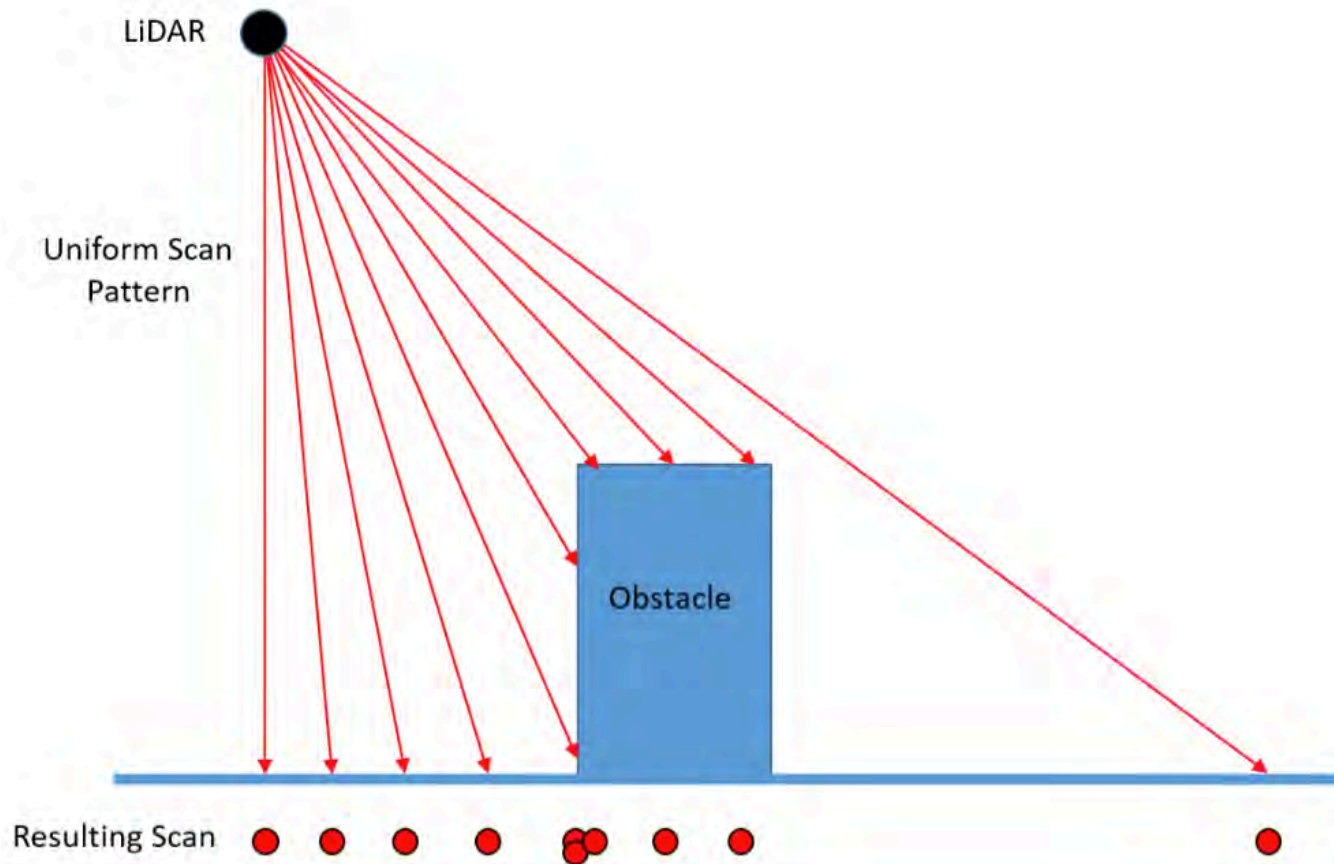
Resolution Requirement



- Statistical analysis of rock size/aspect ratios on Mars
- Created a software map of a characteristic landing surface
- Monte Carlo simulation with different scan resolutions
- Determine probability of aliasing over a hazard (failure) vs. scan resolution

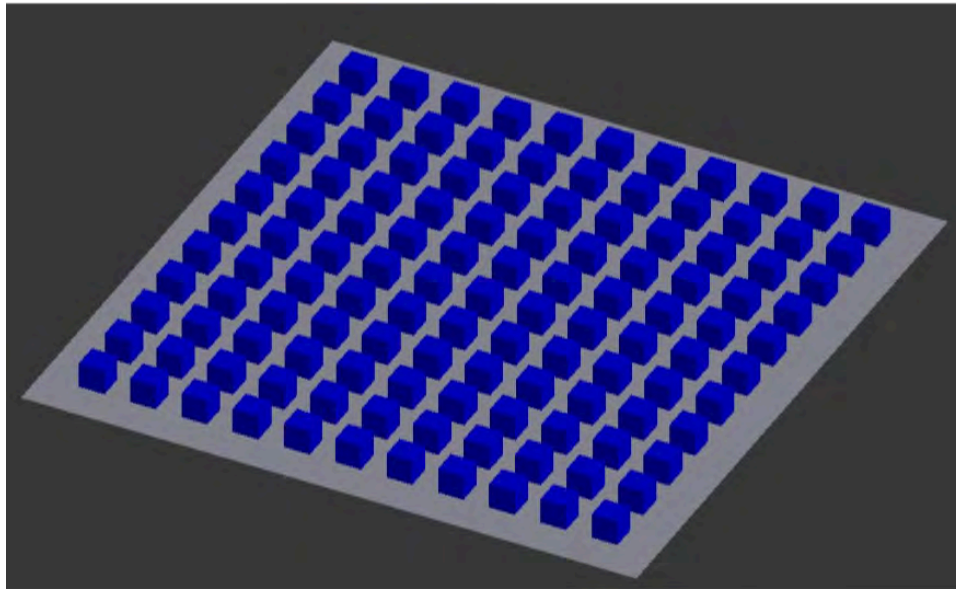


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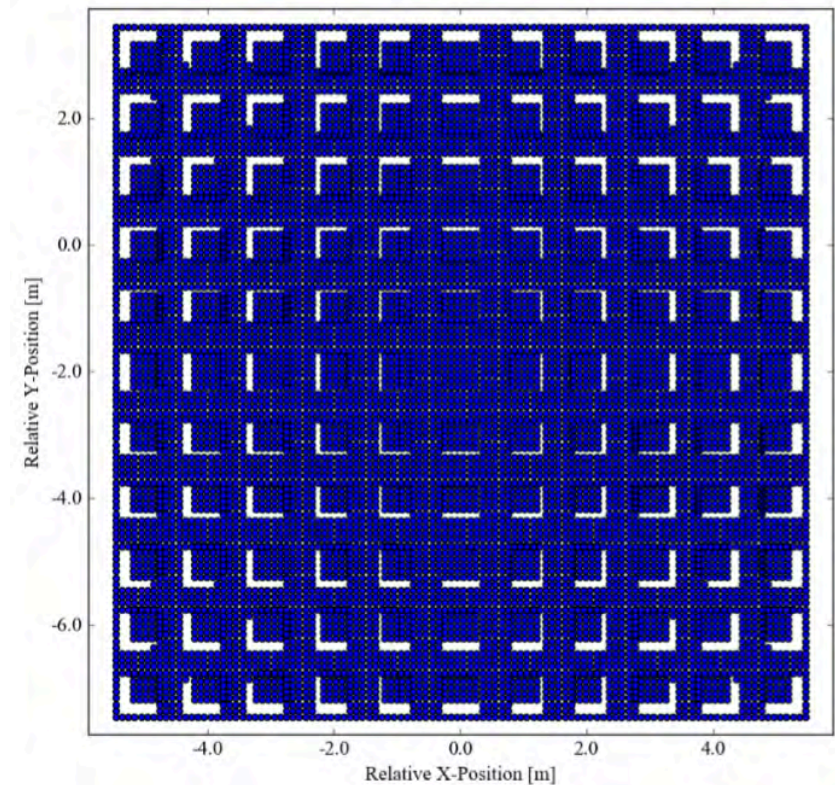


Visualization of shadowing effects

Maximum Scan Angle



Blender visualization of a test scene



Resulting points with lidar scan



BACKUP: DESIGN REQUIREMENTS

FR 1



1. The system shall analyze a potential landing zone for a 12U cubesat.
 - 1.1. The system shall scan up to a half-angle of 20° off of nadir.
 - 1.2. The system shall scan from a nadir range of 14.1 m.
 - 1.3. The system shall scan with a resolution of better than 0.1 m.
 - 1.3.1. The error in this resolution shall be less than 0.05 m in the plane of the scan area.
 - 1.4. The system shall complete the scan and analysis in less than 60 seconds.
 - 1.4.1. The system shall complete the scan in less than 50 seconds.
 - 1.4.2. The system shall complete the analysis in less than 10 seconds.

2. The on-board processor (OBP) shall receive commands and data from a user-operated PC (UPC).
 - 2.1. The OBP shall execute a main driver routine.
 - 2.1.1. While executing the main driver, the OBP shall receive a “ready” command from the UPC.
 - 2.1.2. After a “ready” command is received, the OBP shall receive a “start command from the UPC.
 - 2.1.3. During operation (after a “start” command) the system shall receive a “stop” command from the UPC.
 - 2.1.3.1. Upon receiving a “stop” command, the system shall stop operation (cut power to the lidar and the motors) within 1 second.

2. The on-board processor (OBP) shall receive commands and data from a user-operated PC (UPC).
 - 2.2. Outside of the main driver, the OBP shall receive and store data from the UPC.
 - 2.2.1. The OBP shall receive and store in memory a list of Risley Prism orientations for the desired scan.
 - 2.2.2. The OBP shall receive and store in memory a list of simulated IMU values for the spacecraft.
 - 2.2.2.1. These IMU data shall be a Direction Cosine Matrix (DCM) for the system at each scan time, relative to the scan surface.
 - 2.2.3. The OBP shall retain memory while powered and unpowered.
 - 2.2.4. The OBP shall be programmable so that stored data and routines can be modified through the interface with the UPC.

FR 3



- 3. The OBP shall command the sensor package (SP).
 - 3.1. The OBP shall control power (on or off) to the lidar sensor.
 - 3.2. The OBP shall control power (on or off) to the motors.
 - 3.3. The OBP shall send commands to the motor drivers.
 - 3.3.1. The OBP shall read the data file of Risley prism orientations to send to the motors.
 - 3.3.2. The desired prism orientations must be updated at least once every 10 ms.

FR 4



4. The SP shall use a fixed-beam lidar sensor to obtain range measurements.
 - 4.1. The lidar shall operate within a range of 12 m - 15 m.
 - 4.2. The lidar shall have a range error with a standard deviation of less than 2.5 cm at all ranges between 12 m and 15 m.

- 5. The SP shall have control over the lidar beam direction using two Risley prisms.
 - 5.1. The Risley prisms shall be capable of actuating the beam across the entire scan area.
 - 5.1.1. The Risley prisms together shall be capable of deflecting the lidar beam by at least 20° from nadir.
 - 5.2. The Risley prisms shall be individually controlled in order to direct the lidar beam.
 - 5.2.1. The Risley prism actuation system shall be capable of producing sufficient torque to achieve 15 rad/s^2 .
 - 5.2.2. The Risley prism actuation system shall be capable of producing angular rates between 0 rad/s and 10 rad/s .
 - 5.3. After system calibration, the lidar shall have a cross-range error with a standard deviation of less than 2.5 cm for all locations in the scan area.
 - 5.3.1. The sum of two standard deviations plus the radius of the beam spot shall not exceed 5 cm at any point in the scan area.
 - 5.3.2. The Risley prism orientations shall be known to within 0.1° about the axis of rotation.

- 5. The SP shall have control over the lidar beam direction using two Risley prisms.
 - 5.4. The SP shall not inhibit the lidar sensor from receiving a return signal.
 - 5.4.1. The Risley prism receiver field of view shall be less than 50% obscured.
 - 5.4.2. The transmissivity of the Risley prisms shall allow for a beam return of at least 90% strength, assuming a perfect specular retroreflection from the target.
 - 5.4.2.1. The Risley prisms shall be covered with an anti-reflective coating appropriate for the lidar wavelength.
 - 5.4.3. The Risley prism actuation system shall not impede the optical path of the lidar beam for any orientation within the scan area.

6. The OBP shall receive data from the SP.
 - 6.1. The OBP shall read and save the lidar range measurement to memory every 10ms.
 - 6.1.1. The output of the lidar sensor shall be converted into a voltage.
 - 6.1.2. The voltage shall be readable by the OBP Analog to Digital Converted (ADC).
 - 6.1.2.1. The ADC shall have a resolution of at least 12 bits.
 - 6.2. The OBP shall read the prism orientation measurements.
 - 6.2.1. The OBP shall read the quadrature output of the each encoder continuously to translate into a count.
 - 6.2.1.1. Each count shall be translated into an absolute angular position of each prism.
 - 6.2.2. Each prism orientation shall be saved to memory every 10ms.
 - 6.3. The lidar range measurement and prism orientations shall be correlated such that prism orientations from $t=0$ match with lidar ranges from $t=5\text{ms}$.

7. The OBP shall project the SP data into a three-dimensional (3D) point-cloud.
 - 7.1. The OBP shall translate the prism orientations into a location (origin) for the outgoing lidar beam.
 - 7.2. The OBP shall translate the prism orientations into a direction vector for the outgoing lidar beam.
 - 7.3. The OBP shall project the range measurement along the computed direction vector, then add this to the computed origin to find a point in an intermediate cartesian frame relative to the lidar emitter.
 - 7.4. The OBP shall rotate the point in the intermediate frame into an inertial frame using the simulated IMU data.
 - 7.5. These calculations shall occur as the scan is being completed.

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8. The OBP shall analyze the 3D point-cloud to identify hazardous locations.
 - 8.1. The OBP shall begin analysis once the scan points have reached a distance of 0.45 meters from nadir.
 - 8.2. The OBP shall process a scan point by finding all points within the error-compensated lander footprint range, then computing the maximum height difference between of all these points. A safe point is one where this difference does not exceed the error-compensated hazard height.
 - 8.3. The points shall be analyzed in the order in which they arrive.
 - 8.4. A point shall be analyzed if and only if it is the next point in the queue and the distances from nadir of the most recently found points has exceeded the sum of the distance of the queued point from nadir and its error-compensated lander footprint range.

FR 9



9. The OBP shall select an acceptable landing site.
 - 9.1. The OBP shall identify the first computed safe point as the acceptable landing site.

FR 10



10. The OBP shall generate output readable by the UPC.
 - 10.1. The OBP shall generate health and status information readable by the PC in real time.
 - 10.1.1. The OBP shall provide a status message to the UPC once per second while the system is driver is running.
 - 10.1.1.1. The status message shall be “off” if the system is running the driver but is not ready or running.
 - 10.1.1.2. The status message shall be “warming up” if the system has received the “ready” command but has not yet completed the ready sequence.
 - 10.1.1.3. The status message shall be “ready” if the system has completed the ready sequence after receiving the “ready” command.
 - 10.1.1.4. The status message shall be “running” if the system is executing the scan. This message shall be time-stamped relative to the receipt of the “start” command.
 - 10.1.1.5. The status message shall be “analyzing” if the system has completed the scan but not the analysis. These messages shall be time-stamped with relative to the receipt of the “start” command.
 - 10.1.1.6. The status message shall be “complete” if the system has completed the scan and analysis. This message shall be time-stamped relative to the receipt of the “start” command.
 - 10.1.1.7. After a “complete” message is displayed, the system status shall be reset to “off.”
 - 10.1.1.8. The status message shall be “stopped” if the operation was terminated with the “stop” command. This status shall remain in effect until the driver is restarted.

- 10. The OBP shall generate output readable by the UPC.
 - 10.1. The OBP shall generate health and status information readable by the PC in real time.
 - 10.1.2. The health and status information shall appear on the terminal of the UPC once per second.
 - 10.2. The OBP shall save raw sensor outputs to memory.
 - 10.2.1. The OBP shall save lidar sensor measurements to memory.
 - 10.2.2. The OBP shall save prism orientation measurements to memory.
 - 10.3. The OBP shall save translated beam attitudes to memory.
 - 10.4. The OBP shall save x, y, and z coordinates for each point to memory.
 - 10.5. The OBP shall save a SAFE/UNSAFE designation to memory for each point.
 - 10.6. The OBP shall save the coordinates of the selected landing site to memory.
 - 10.7. The saved data for each point shall be correlated.
 - 10.8. The saved data shall be readable on the UPC outside of the driver routine.

Lidar Sensor Sampling



Pepperl+Fuchs VDM28:

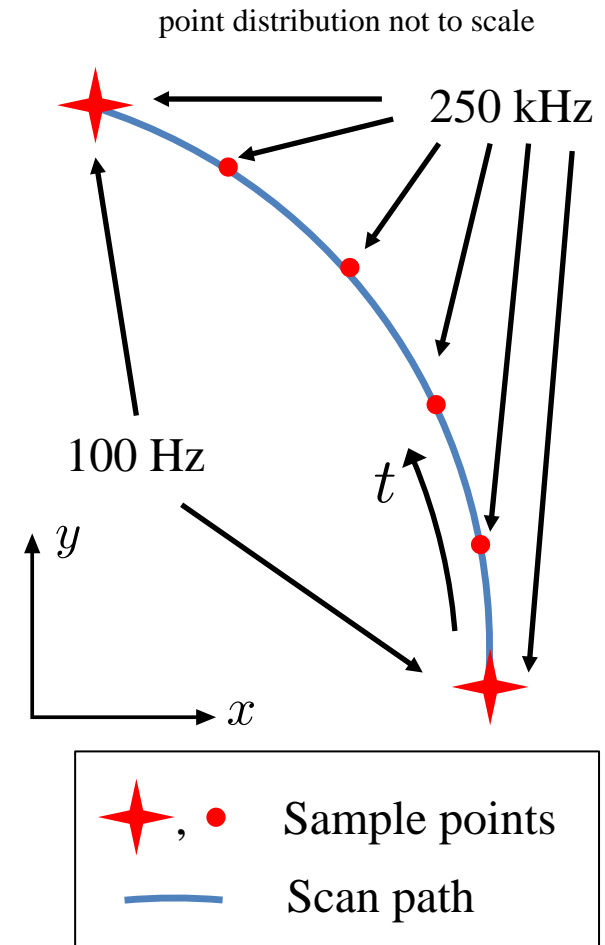
- COTS sensor that meets requirements and budget constraints

Sensor shortcomings:

- 100 Hz sampling frequency
- Time-averages over 10 ms (takes 2500 samples in that interval)

Possible solution:

- Custom-built sensor with higher sampling frequency and no time-averaging
 - Cost estimate: ~\$10,000



Lidar Sensor Sampling

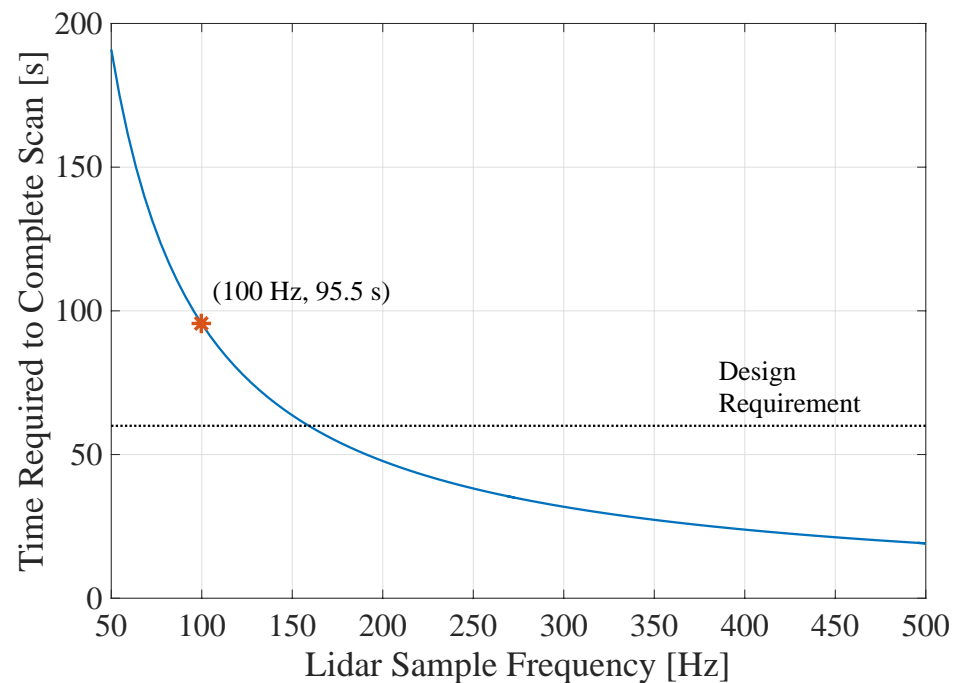
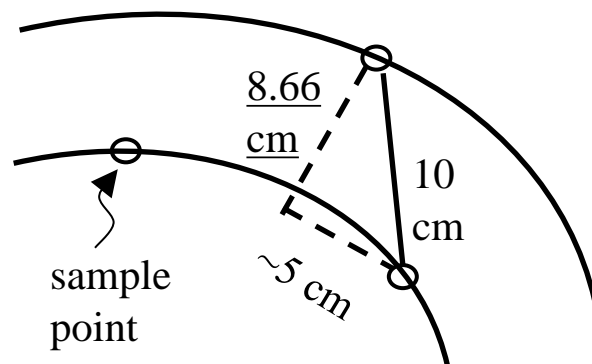


Resolution

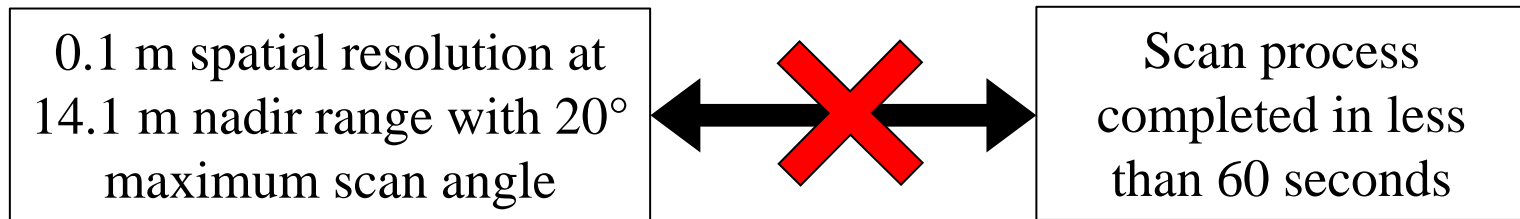
- Spiral Spacing: 8.66 cm
- Arc-point Spacing: 10 cm

Minimum frequency

- Total points: 9,550
- $f_{min} = 159 \text{ Hz}$



Scan Time vs. Scan Resolution



Problem: These two closely coupled objectives cannot be completed concurrently due to financial limitations on the lidar sensor

Lidar Wavelength

Feasibility for MACULA

- Test surface can be constructed with white diffuse paint or white retroreflective tape

Why this sensor was selected

- Meets budget and accuracy constraints
- Test surface can be constructed to fit sensor

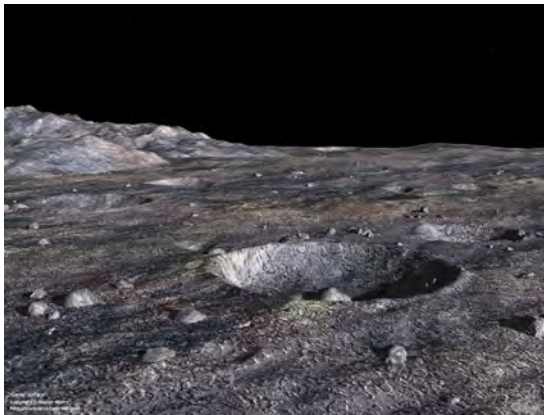
Benefits of Using 660 nm

- Visible spectrum (verification)

Lidar Wavelength



- Per **FR1**, MACULA is proof-of-concept system for CubeSat lander
 - Wavelength can be selected for custom-built sensors
 - Implemented systems will choose wavelength based upon landing surface



<http://pics-about-space.com/asteroid-surface?p=1>



<http://pics-about-space.com/planet-mars-surface?p=1>

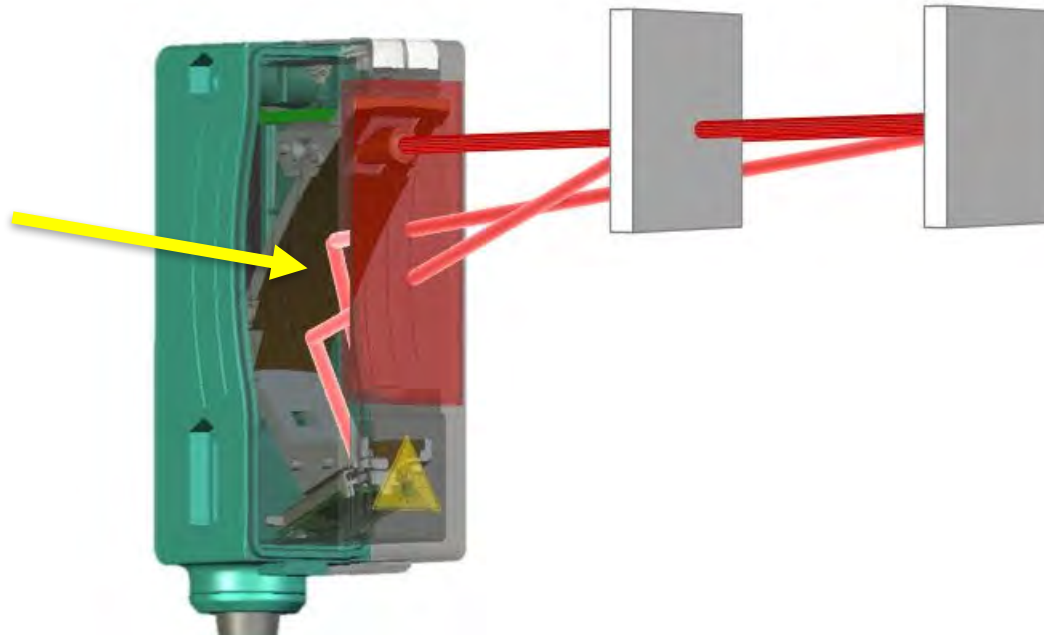
Laser Wavelength vs. Cost

- Red lasers are the most common and cheapest to manufacture
- Laser colors other than red require specialized crystals with rare-earth elements such as Neodymium
 - These extra components can drive up the cost of other color lasers (yellow, blue, green) to dozens of times the cost of a red laser
- These colors can have better reflection on certain surfaces, but do not provide a general advantage over red lasers

Detector Functionality

- Parabolic mirror to collect diffuse returns
- Specular returns do not disperse

Parabolic
Mirror



Retroreflection

- Luminous Intensity [candela] – Quantity of luminous flux in given direction
- Illuminance [lux] – Measure of concentration of luminous flux falling on surface
- Luminance [candela/m²] – Measure of flux emitted from or reflected by a uniform surface



Luminous Intensity

Illuminance



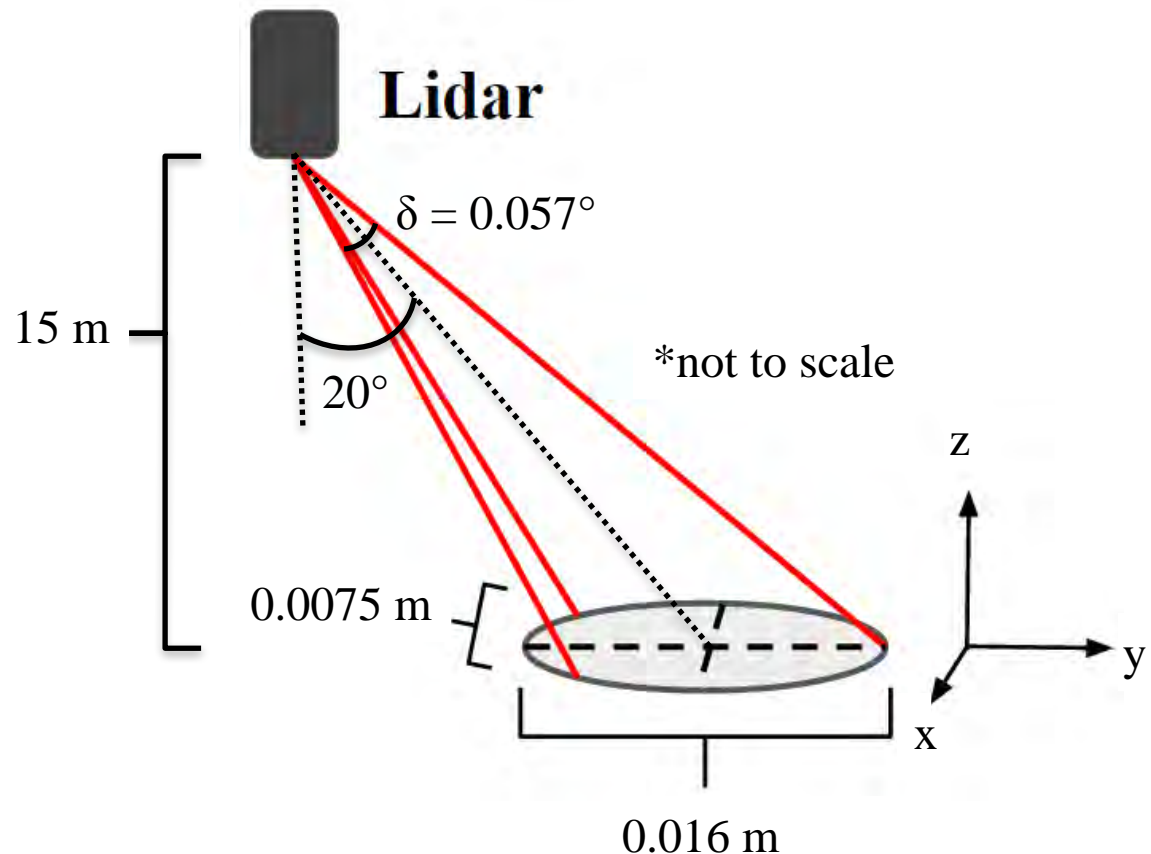
Luminance

<http://www.konicaminolta.com/instruments/knowledge/light/concepts/04.html>

Retroreflection

Laser Emitter

- Pulse: $< 4 \text{ nJ}$
- Pulse length: 5 ns
- Beam divergence:
 - $\delta = 0.057^\circ$
- Luminous Intensity:
 - $4.24 \times 10^7 \text{ candela}$
- Illuminance on surface (15 m, 20° from nadir)
 - $1.89 \times 10^5 \text{ lux}$

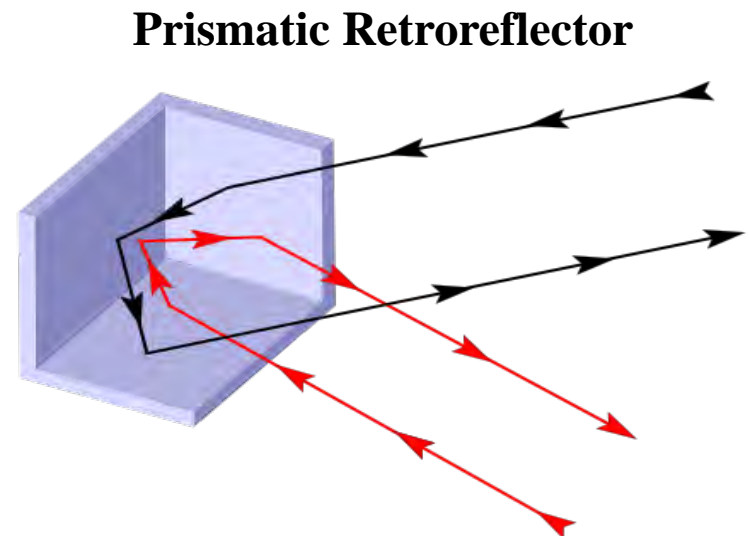


Retroreflection

Reflexite Daybright V92

Observation Angles	Entrance Angles	White
0.2 °	-4 °	460
	30°	250
0.5 °	-4 °	100
	30 °	65

- Luminance of return:
 - 1.23e7 candela/m²
- Luminance of Pepperl+Fuchs datasheet tests (90% Kodak White):
 - 1.70e5 candela/m²



<https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Retroreflector>



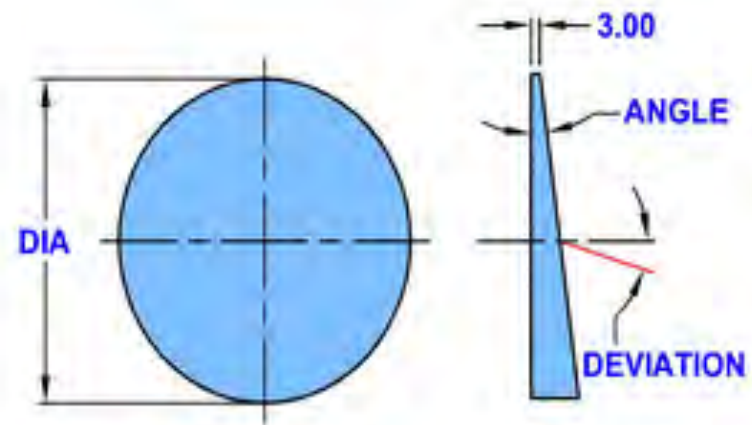
Risley Prism Specs



- Suitable for wide range of wavelengths
 - 450 nm - 2000 nm
- Coatings available for 660 nm
 - Reflectance of about 1%, resulting in above 90 % transmissivity
- Cost:
 - \$100 each uncoated
 - Additional \$5 for coated

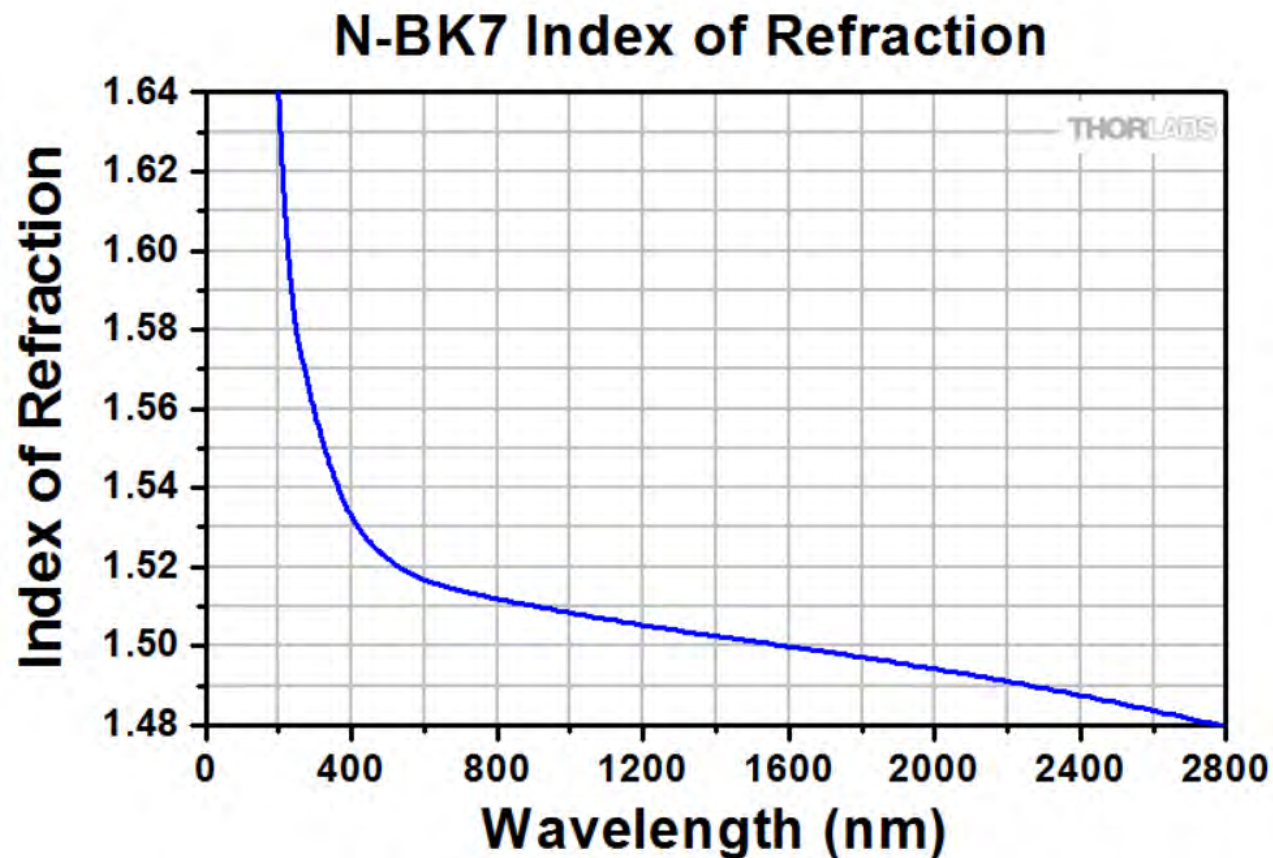
Prism Specifications

- Ross Optical P-WRC059
 - Diameter: 5.08 cm
 - 10° Maximum Beam Deviation (per prism)
 - Wedge Angle: 18° 8′
 - Angle Error: ± 30 arc seconds
 - Material: N-BK7 Grade A fine annealed
 - Transmission: 91% at 660 nm
 - Density: 2.51 g/cm³
 - Thermal Expansion: $7.1 \times 10^{-6} \text{ K}^{-1}$
 - Thickness: 3mm
 - Dimensional Tolerance $\pm 0.1 \text{ mm}$

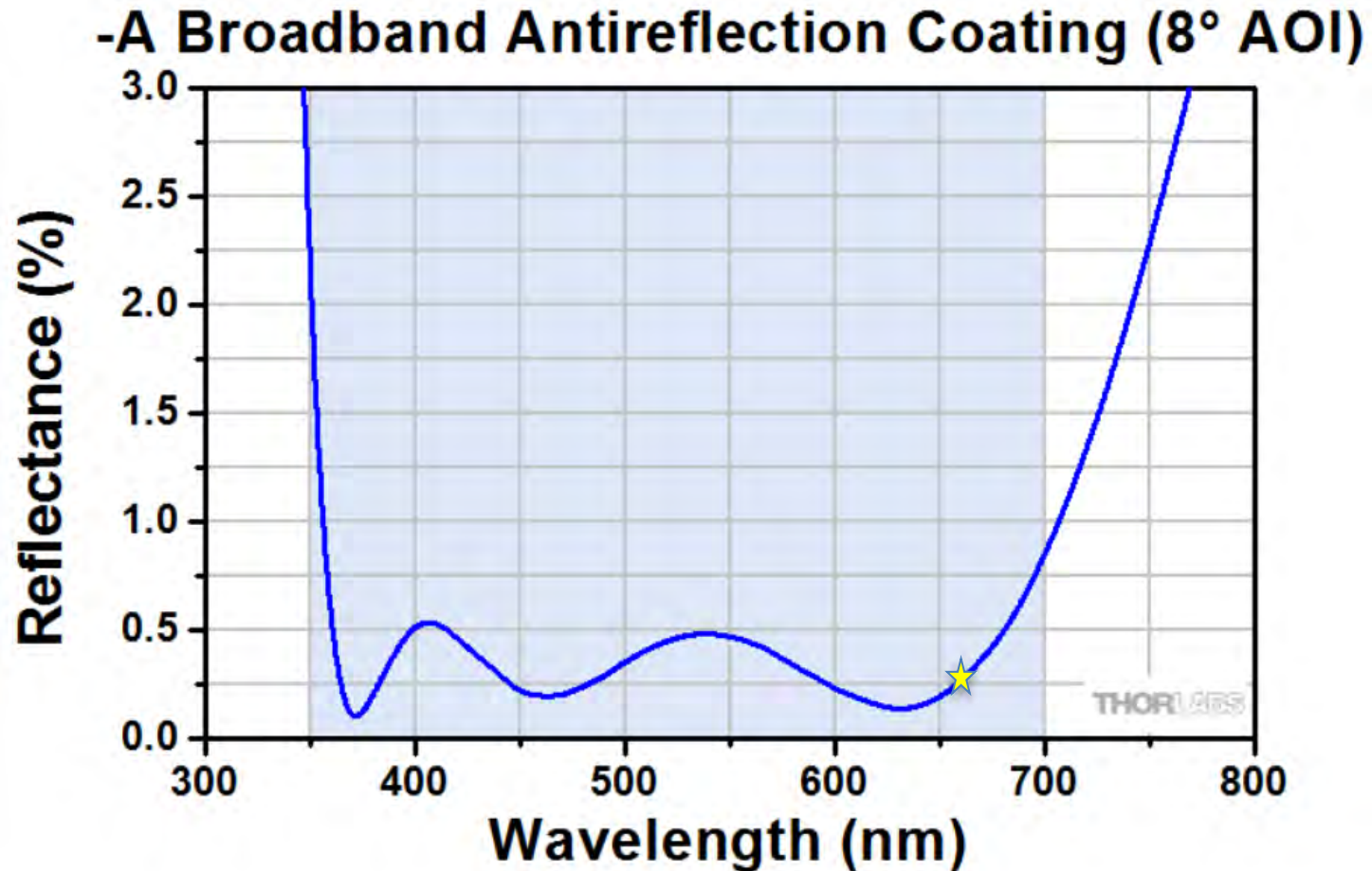


Index of Refraction

- N-BK7 has variable index of refraction

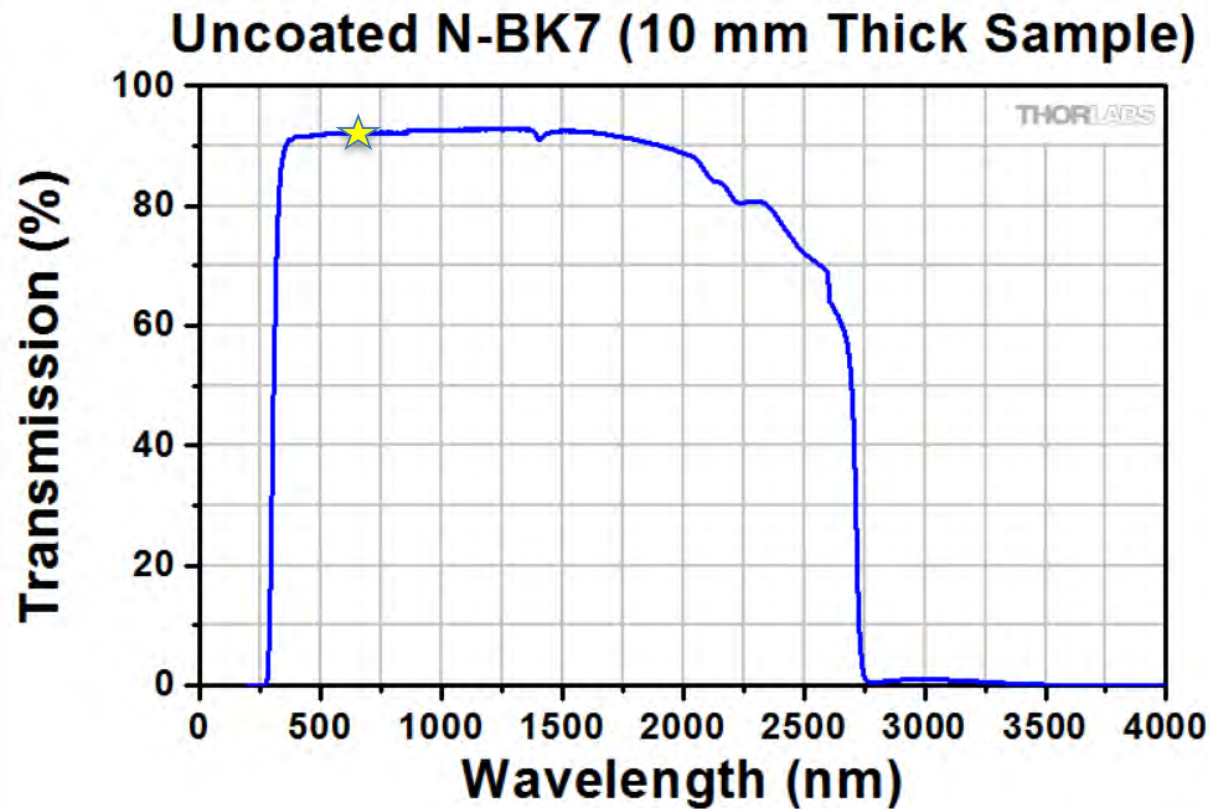


Coating Reflectance



Prism Attenuation

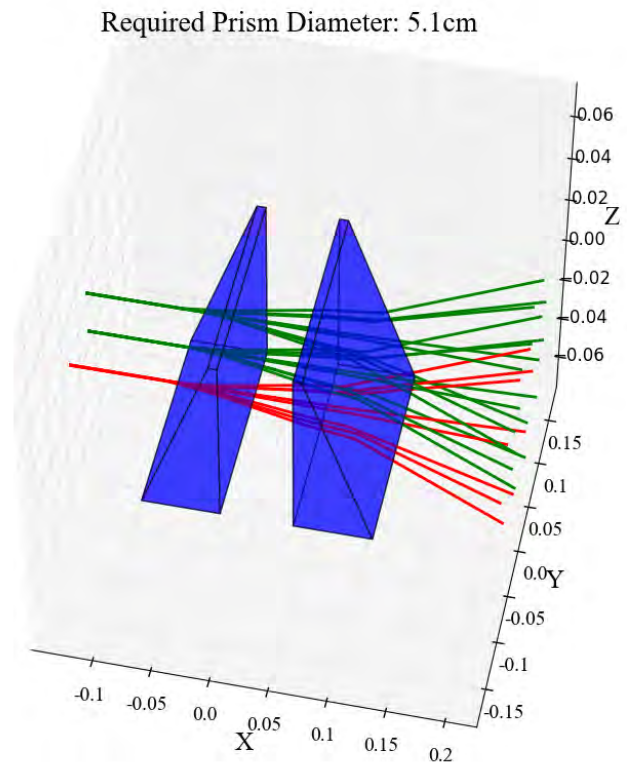
- Material: N-BK7 Grade A fine annealed



Prism Diameter



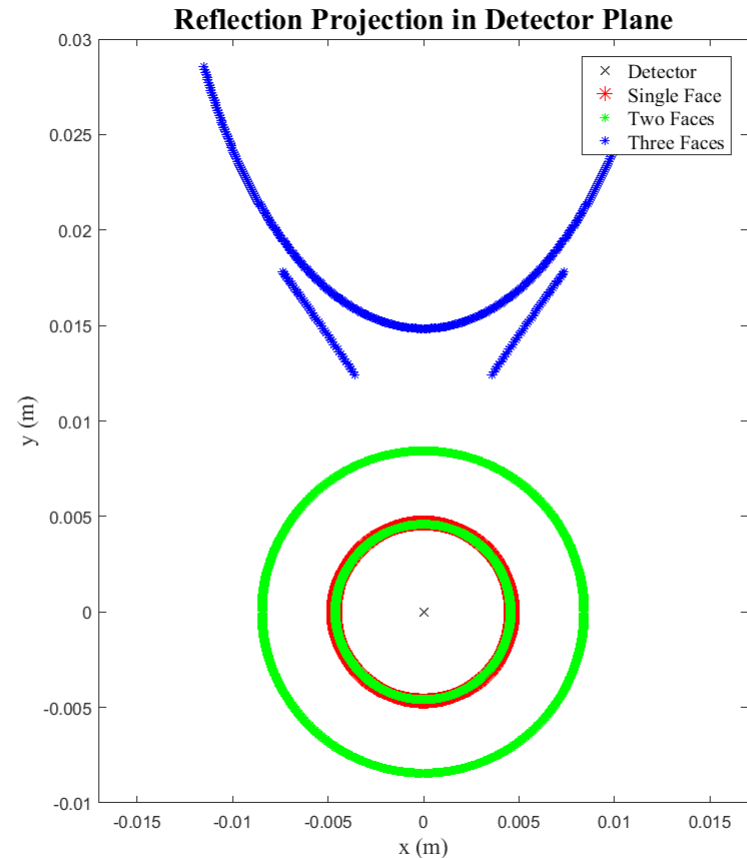
- Beam lines calculated for eight rotations of the prisms (rotated together to produce maximum deflection angle)
- Transmitter and two points on the edge of the receiver are projected straight and their refractions are calculated for each of the prism rotations
 - This is only part of the receiver field of view. The lidar is placed to maximize what the receiver can see, without clipping the transmitter
- Prism diameter based on the farthest point from the center axis for any beam on any prism face
- Resulting distance is divided by 0.9 to produce the prism diameter (for best refraction results from the prism)
- Modeled as blocks for ease of plotting only. Reported size is the diameter



Reflection Analysis

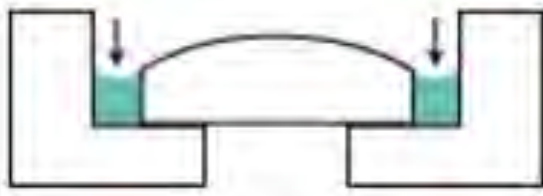


- Possible Risk: Reflections off prisms trigger lidar false returns.
- Reflections were analyzed to determine if they would hit detector.
- This risk can be mitigated by moving lidar away from prisms.



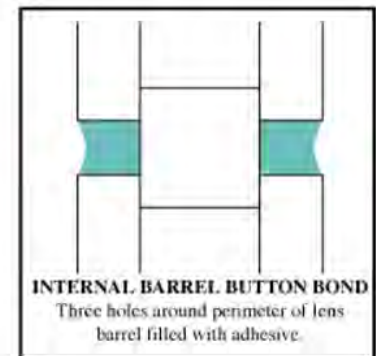
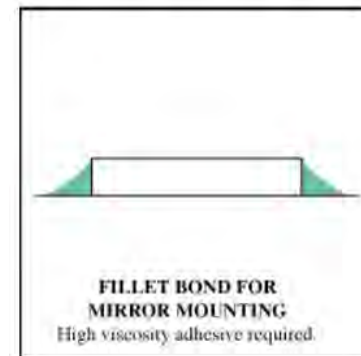
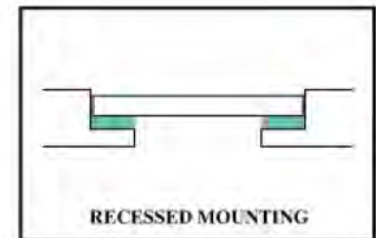
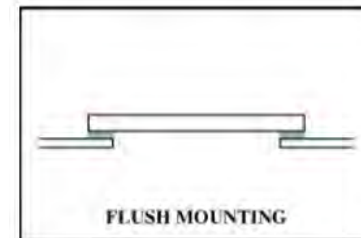
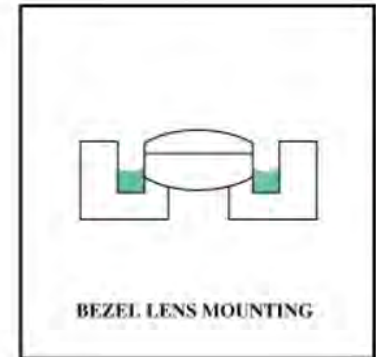
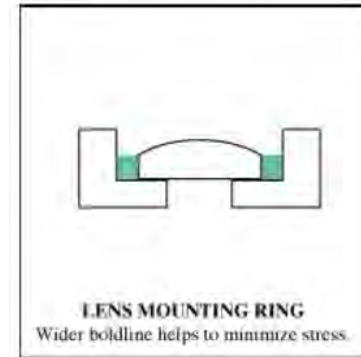
UV Cured Epoxy

- Upon curing, surface of epoxy exposed to UV light shrinks forming a meniscus
- Various techniques can be utilized to minimize stress upon shrinkage.
- Internal Barrel Button Bond method selected. Allows for slip fit and minimal shrinkage stress.



Epoxy Shrinkage shown on the right. Epoxy mounting techniques shown on the left.

<https://www.norlandprod.com/techreports/techniques.html>



Epoxy Selection

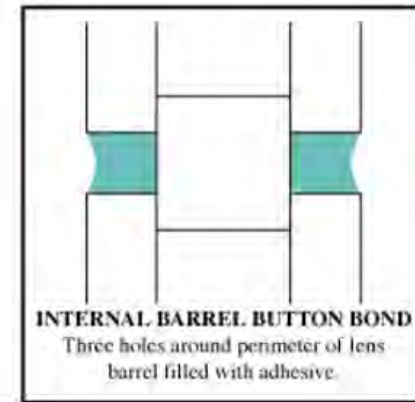


Selected UV Cured Epoxy: Thorlabs NOA81

- Shrinkage: 1.5 %
- Tensile Strength: 4000 psi
- Glass to Metal bond strength: Excellent
- Cost: \$33.5
- Amount per bottle: 1 oz
- Recommended Curing Intensity:
>2 mW/cm² @ 365 nm

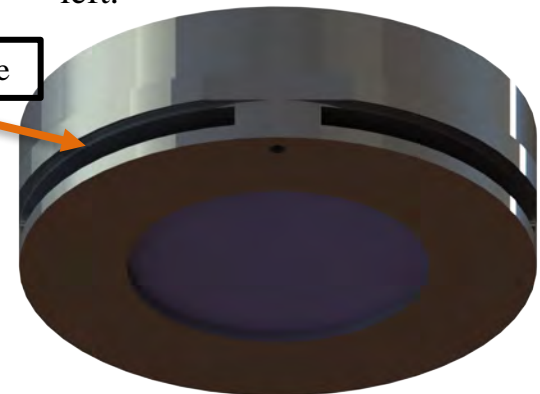


- Allowable Shear Stress: 1000 psi
- Estimated Area Exposed to Epoxy: 0.47 in²
- Allowable Torque: 470 lb-in or 53.10 Nm
- Maximum Torque Supplied by Motors: 1 Nm
- Very low chance of failure

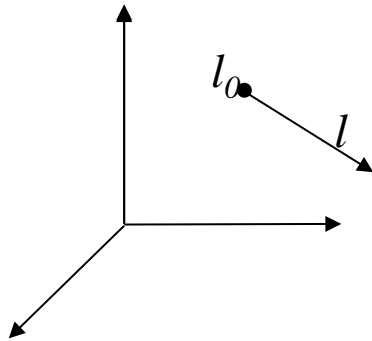


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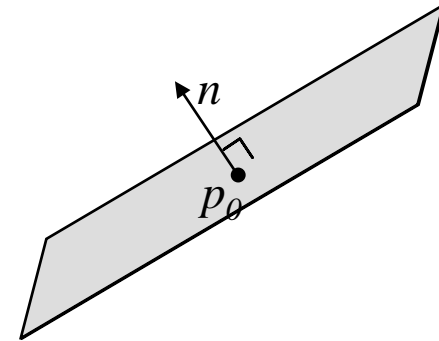
Epoxy Applied Here



Ray Propagation



Point l_0 is associated with direction l

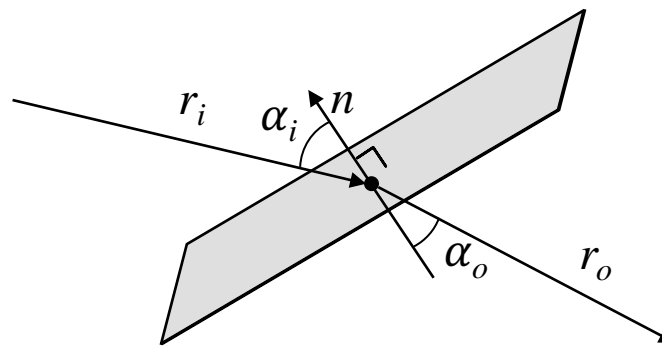
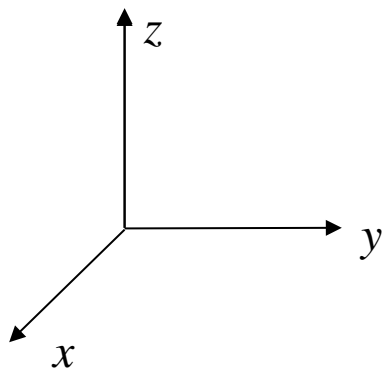


Point p_0 and normal n define a plane

- Line l intersects the plane p at $l_0 + \frac{n \cdot (p_0 - l_0)}{l \cdot p} * l$
- The distance travelled between l_0 and p_0 is $\frac{n \cdot (p_0 - l_0)}{l \cdot p} * ||l||$

Ray Propagation

Snell's Law in 3 dimensions



This reduces to Snell's Law in 2 dimensions if we transform coordinates such that our new x and y lie in the plane formed by r_i and n . The equations are shown below

$$T = \begin{pmatrix} \hat{n} & v & n \times v \end{pmatrix}, \quad v = -(r_i - r_i \cdot (-n))$$

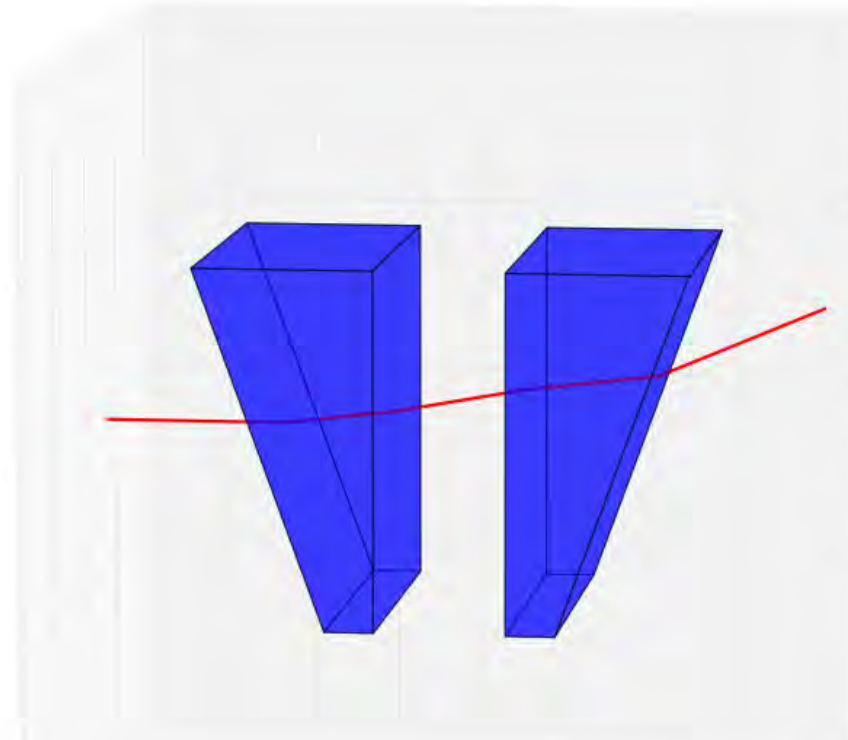
$$R = \begin{pmatrix} \cos(\Delta\alpha) & \sin(\Delta\alpha) & 0 \\ -\sin(\Delta\alpha) & \cos(\Delta\alpha) & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}, \quad \Delta\alpha = \alpha_o - \alpha_i = \sin^{-1} \left(\frac{n_i}{n_o} \sin(\alpha_i) \right) - \alpha_i$$

$$\alpha_i = \cos^{-1} \left(\frac{r_i \cdot n}{||r_i|| \cdot ||n||} \right)$$

$$r_o = T \cdot R \cdot T^{-1} r_i$$

Ray Propagation

By propagating in between prism faces and through material interfaces we can trace the ray path



Ray Propagation



Topographic Map

$$R = r - e - n(d'_1 + d'_2) - \frac{d_p}{\cos \beta_{1o}}$$

$$P_{xyz} = R \cdot l_{2o} + p_{2o}$$

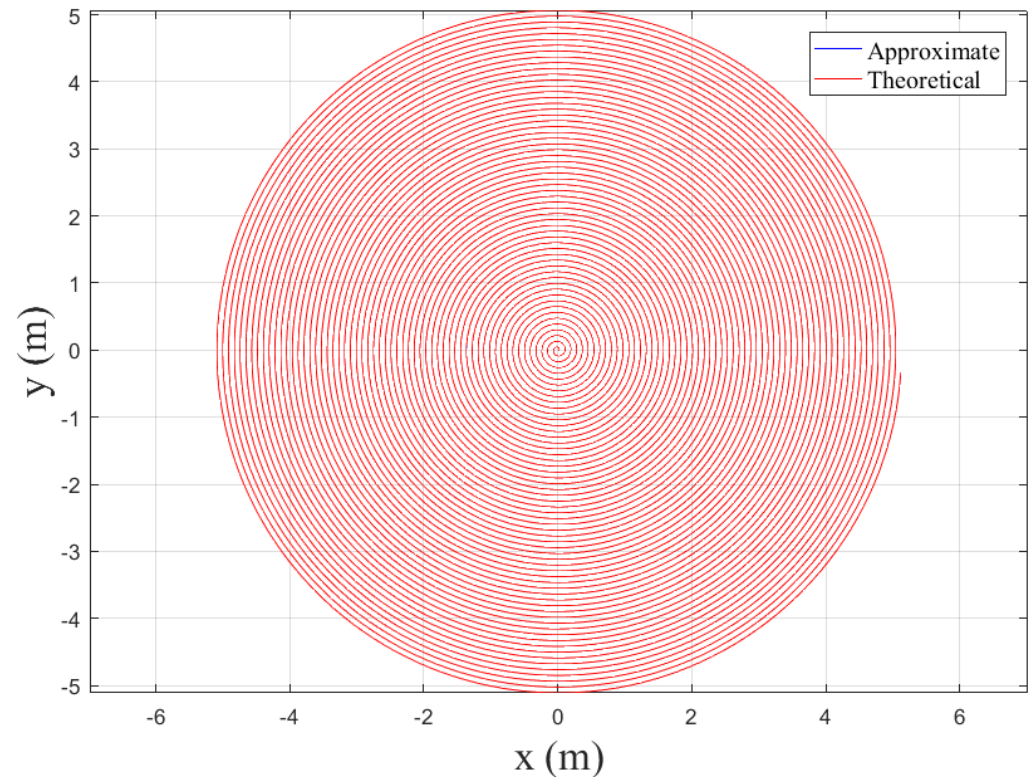
$$P_n = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix} P_{xyz}$$

$$P = \text{DCM}_{\text{IMU}} \cdot P_n + \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 15 \cos(20^\circ) \end{pmatrix}$$

r	Lidar return
e	Distance between lidar and first prism
d_p	Prism separation
n	Prism refractive index
d'	Distance travelled within prism
l	Direction vector
p	Position vector
β	Angle between beam and optical axis

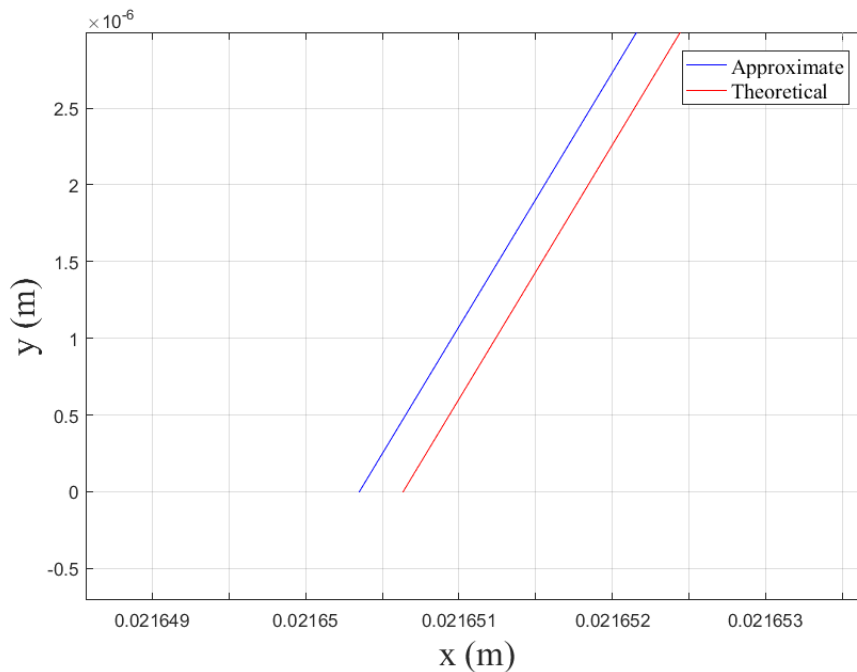
- Radial component of points determined by prism offset angle
- Once offset angle is determined, theta component is found by rotating prisms together
- Prism angles can be found numerically for all points in scan

Theoretical vs. Approximated Spiral

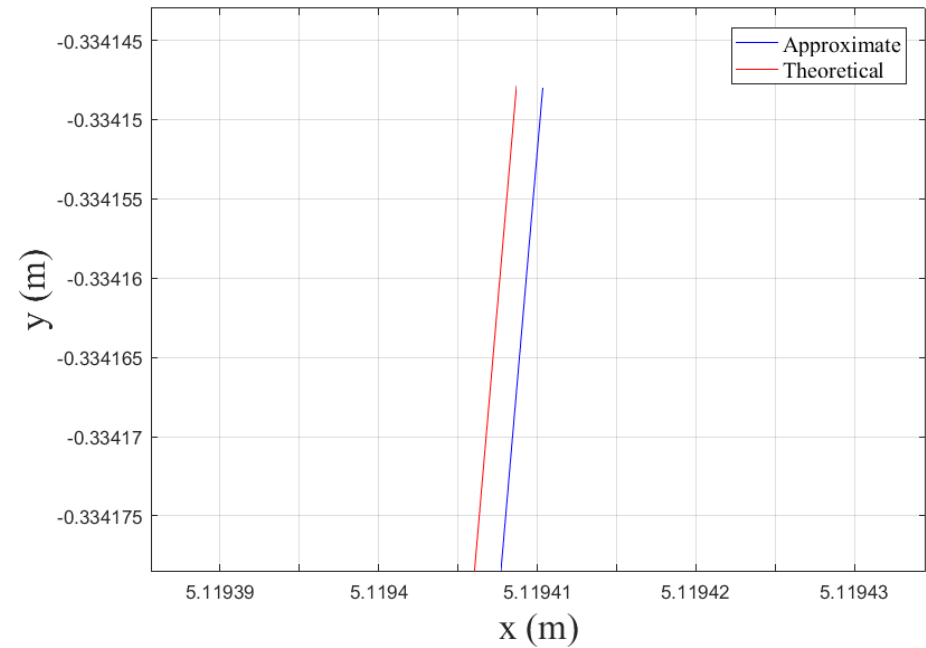


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Scan Center:

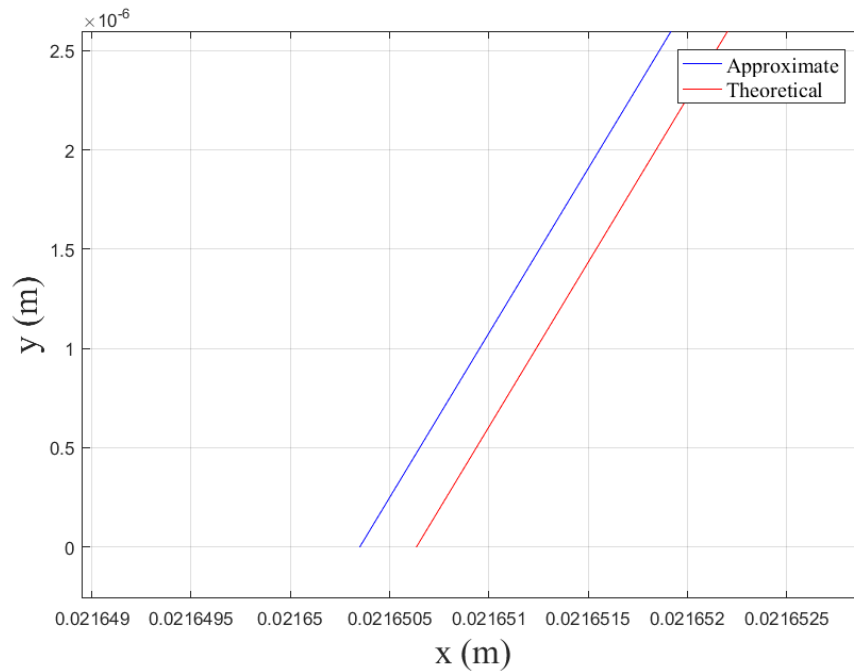


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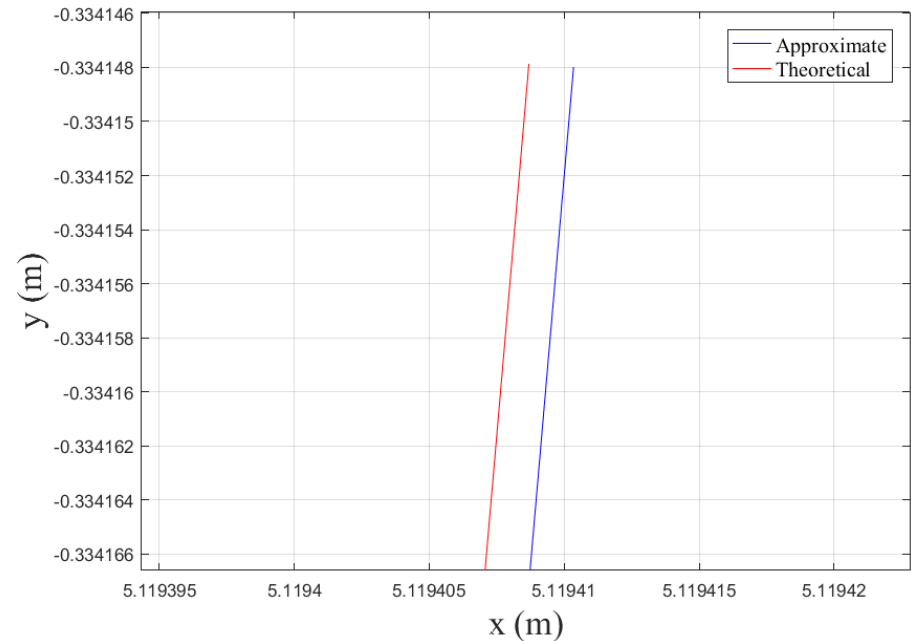


Resolution Scan:

Scan Center:



Scan Edge:

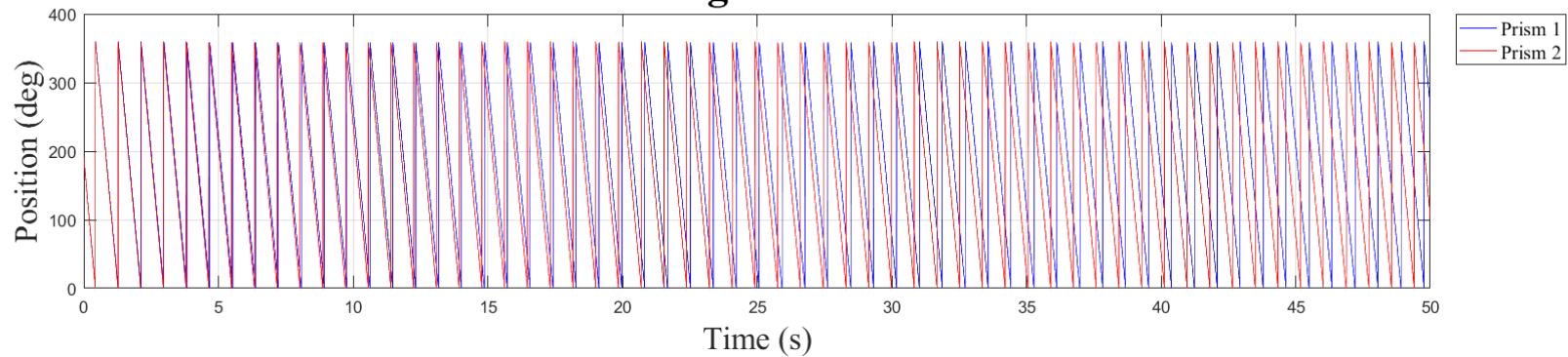


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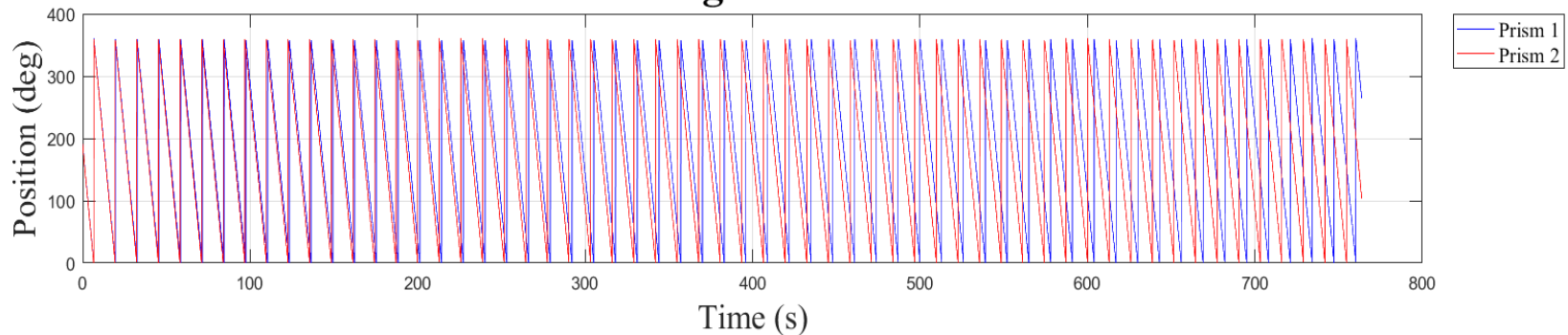
Time Scan:

Prism Angular Positions



Resolution Scan:

Prism Angular Positions

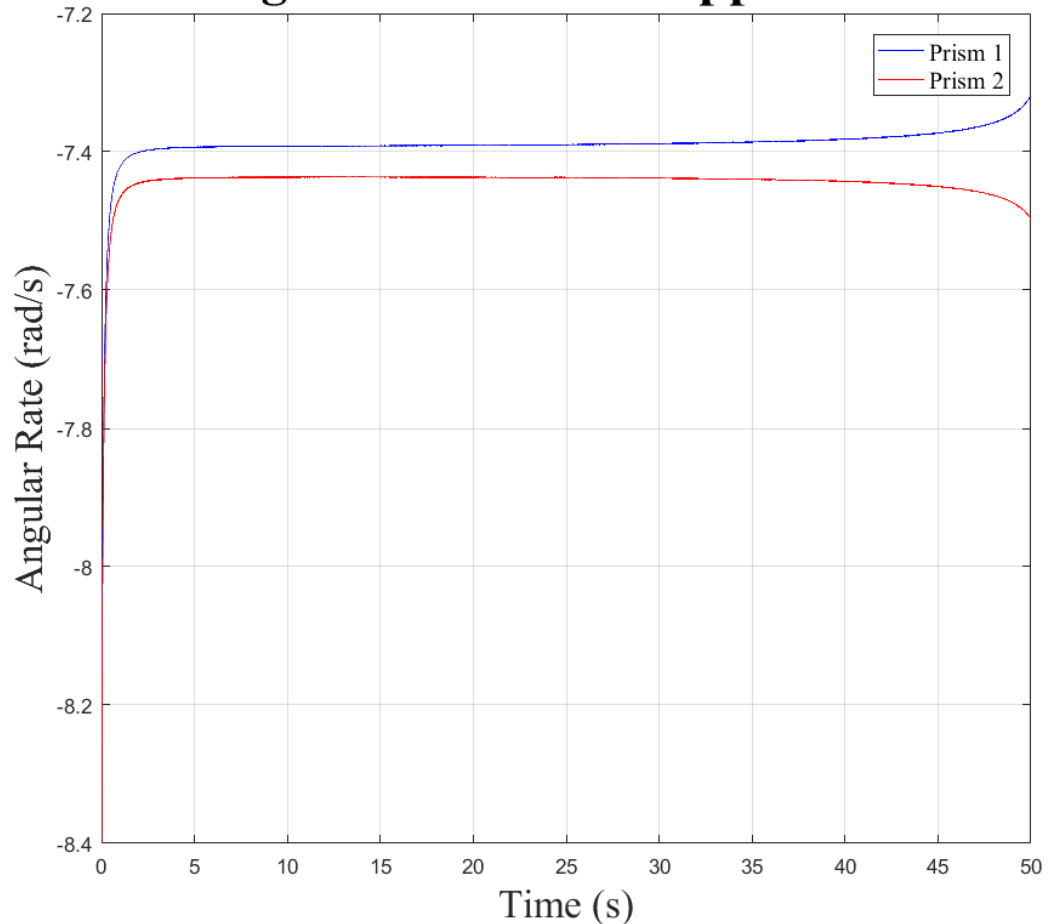


Motor Rates

Time Scan:

- Min Rate: 7.34 rad/s
- Max Rate: 8.46 rad/s
- Max Accel: 14.36 rad/s²

Prism Angular Rates over Approximate Scan

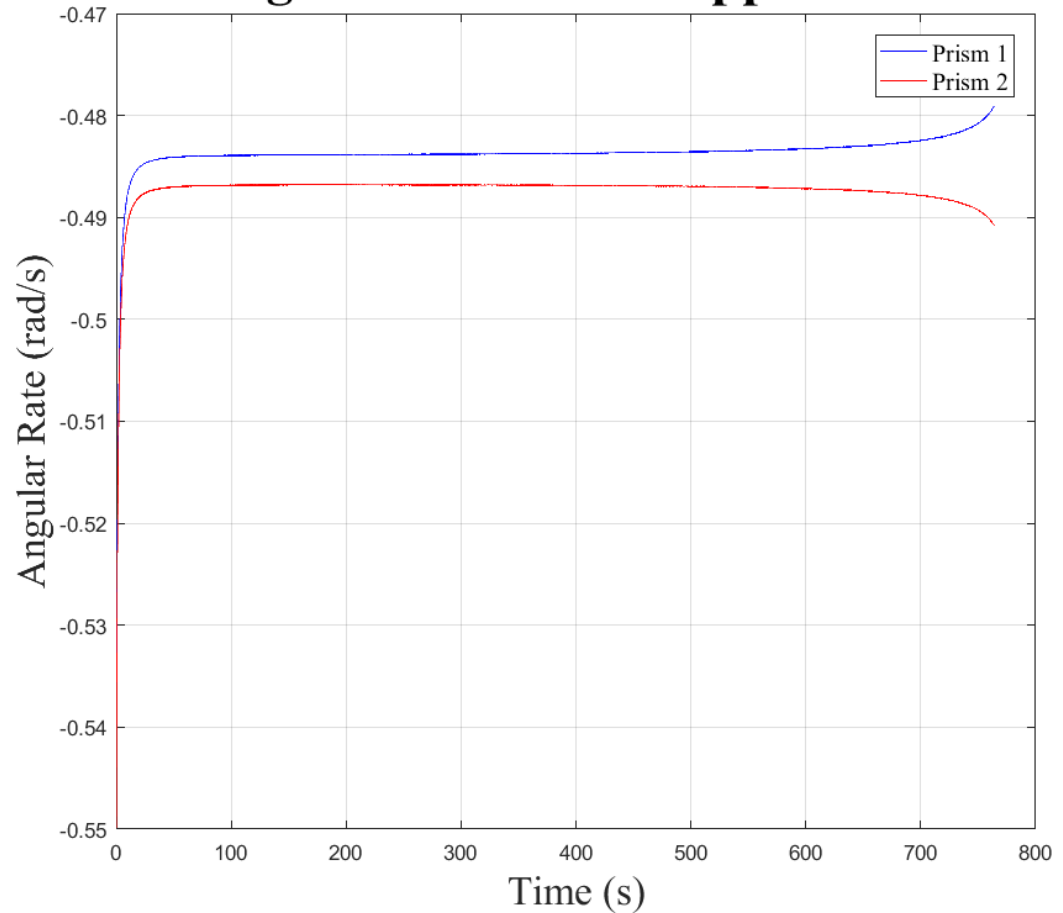


Motor Rates

Resolution Scan:

- Min Rate: 0.48 rad/s
- Max Rate: 0.55 rad/s
- Max Accel: 0.047 rad/s²

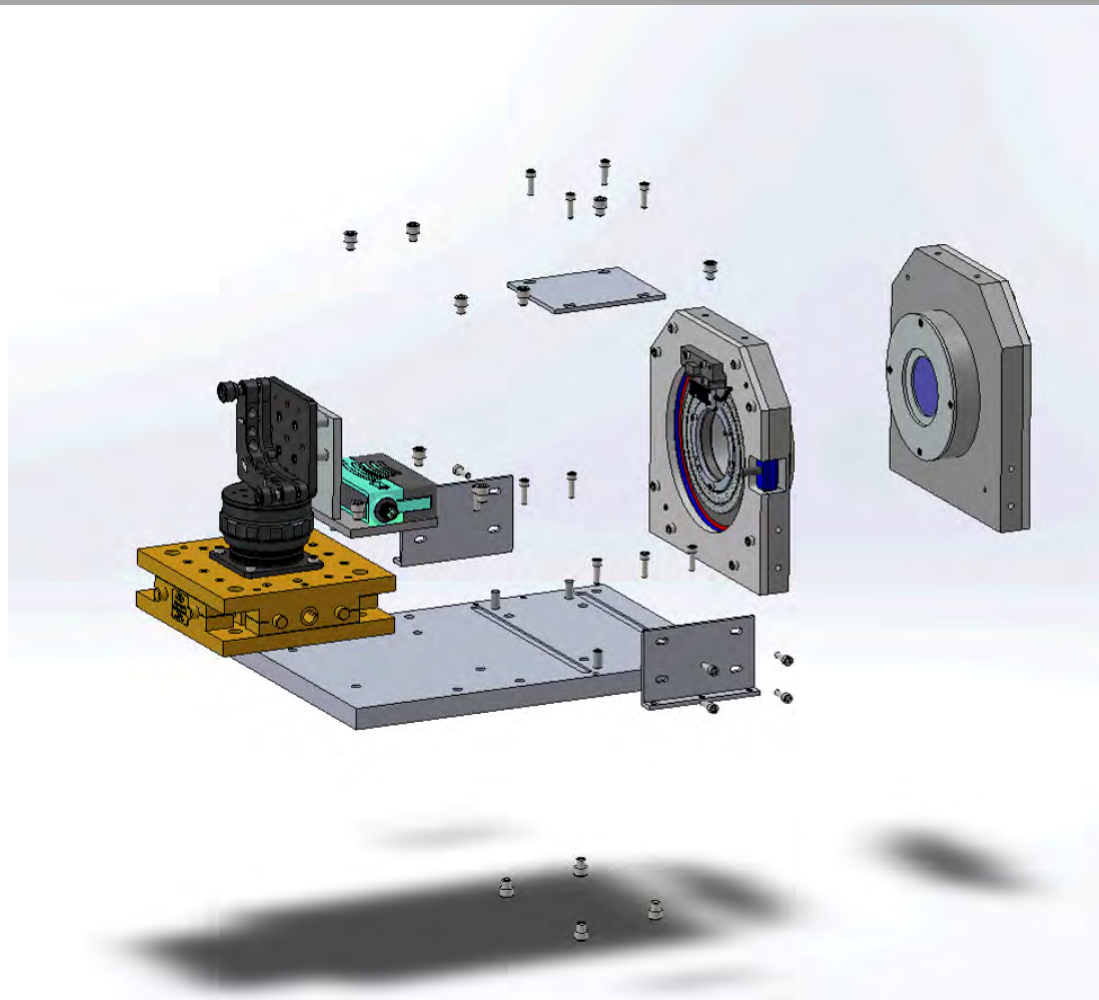
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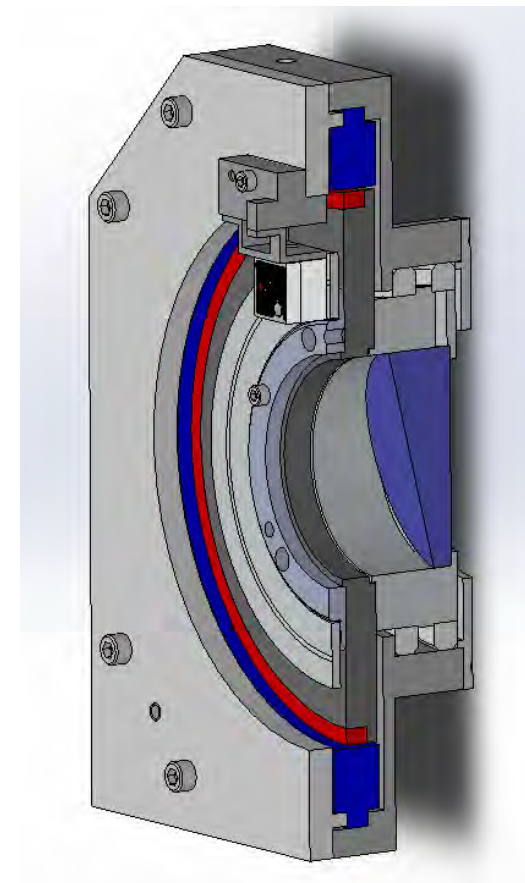
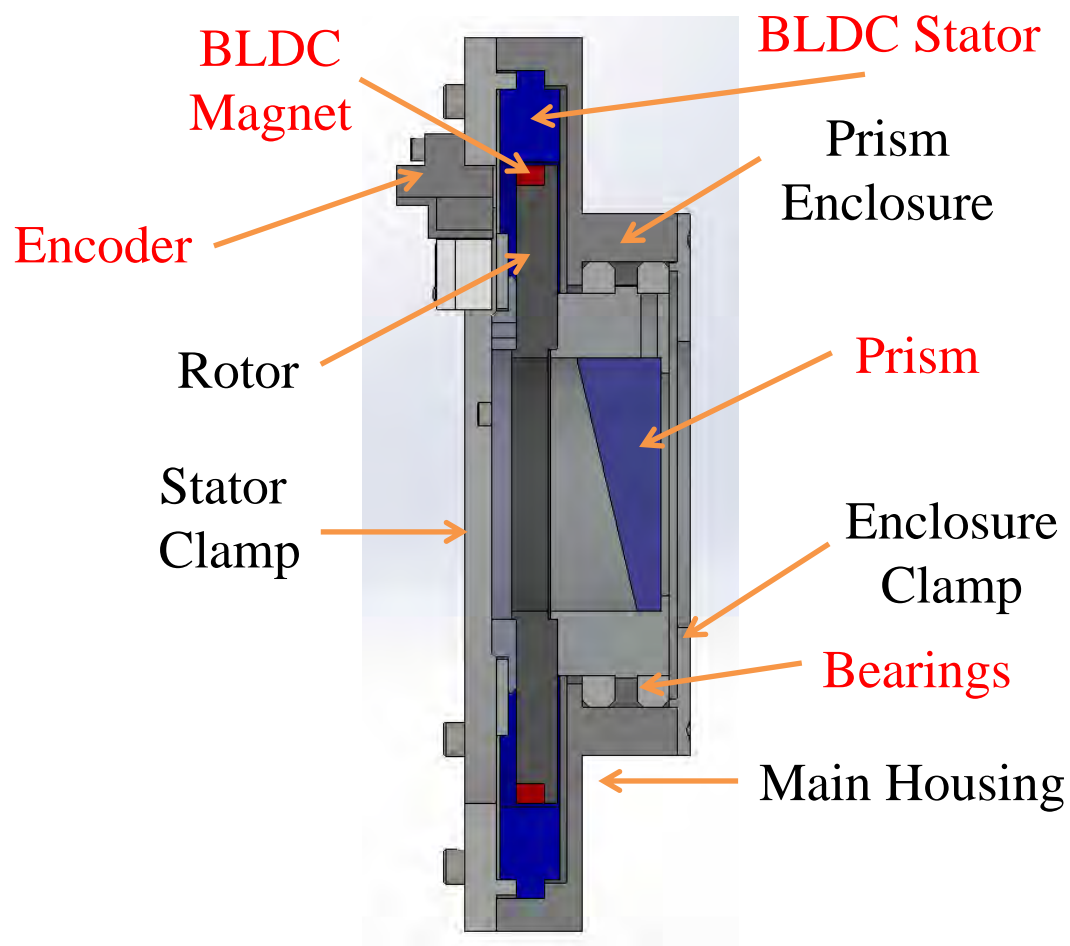


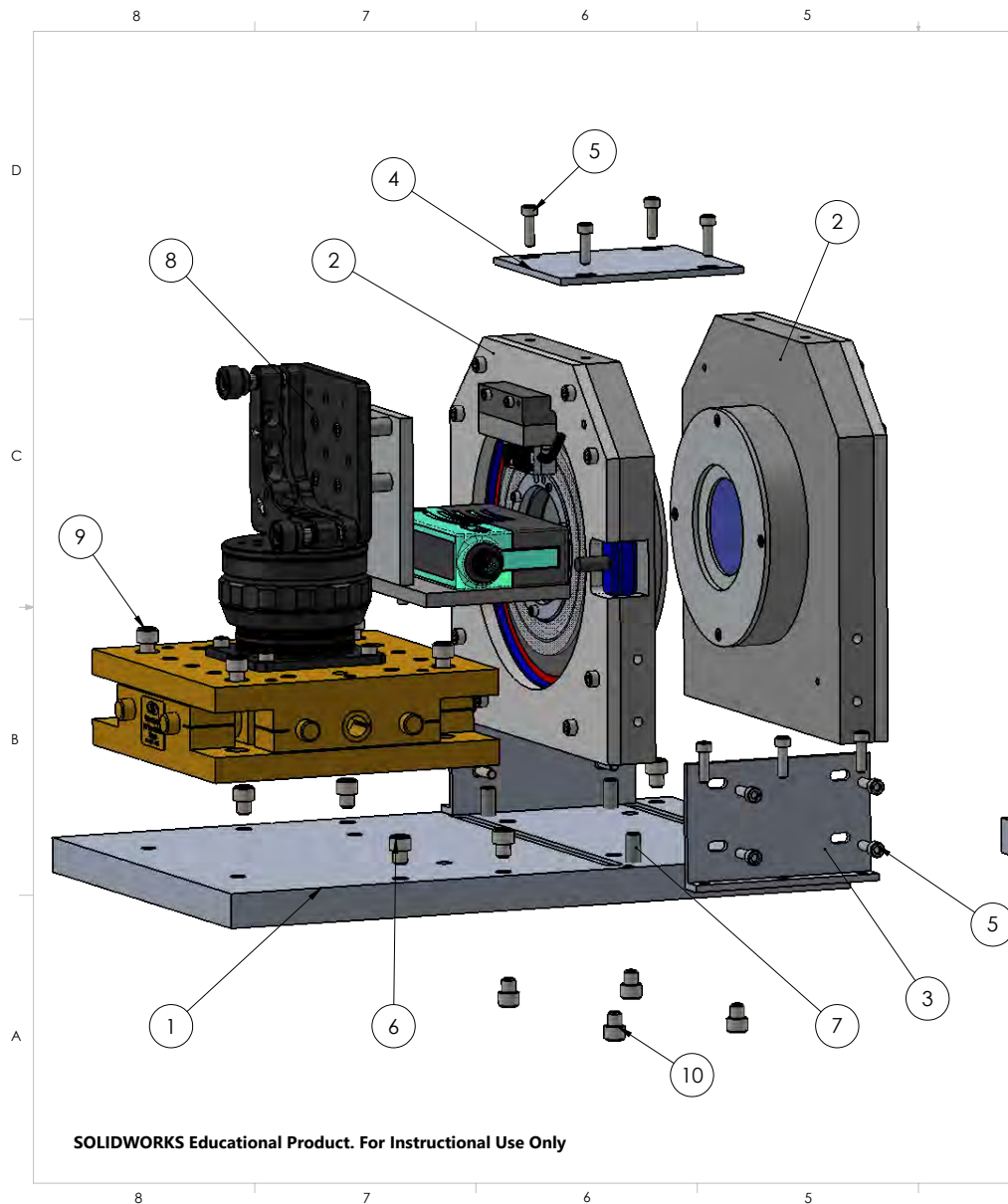
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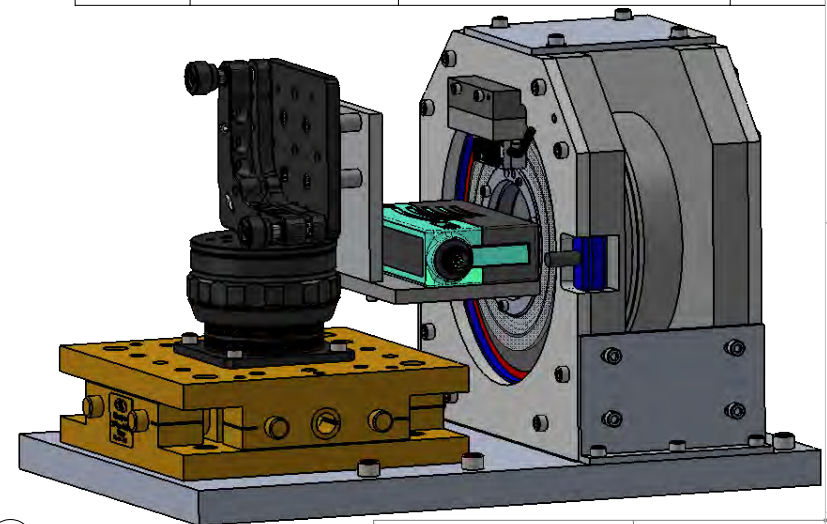


Scanning Stage





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1	OPRT0014	SCN, Baseplate	1
2	OASM0001	SCN, Scanning Stage	2
3	OPRT0012	SCN, Side Bracket	2
4	OPRT0013	SCN, Top Bracket	1
5	#8-32 X 3/8 SHCS		18
6	1/4 - 20X 1 SHCS		6
7	OPRT0016	SCN, Dowel Pin, 1/4-20	4
8	OASM0021	SCN, Lidar Assembly	1
9	1/4 - 20 X 5/8 SHCS		4
10	1/4 - 20 X 3/4 SHCS		4

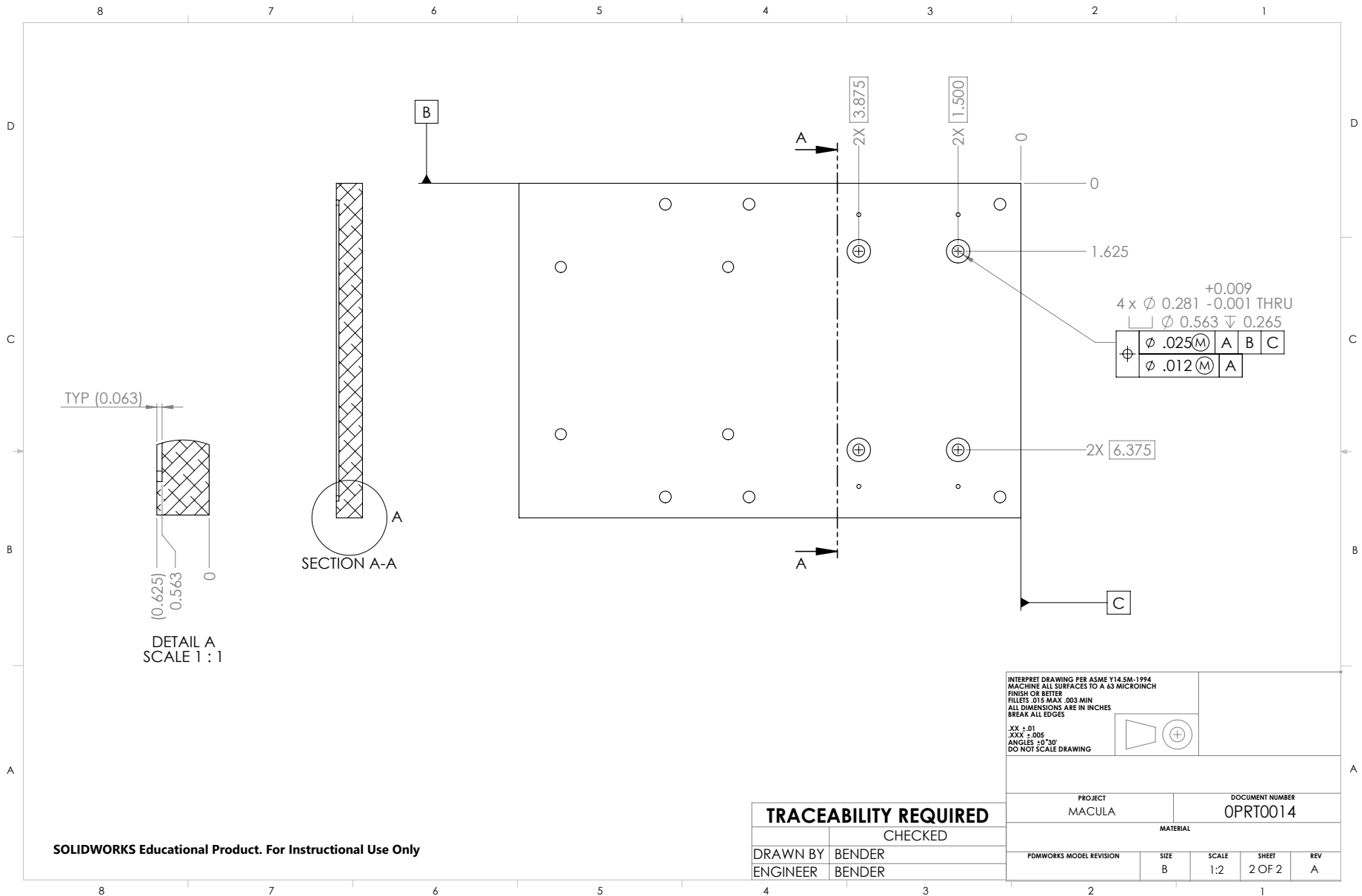


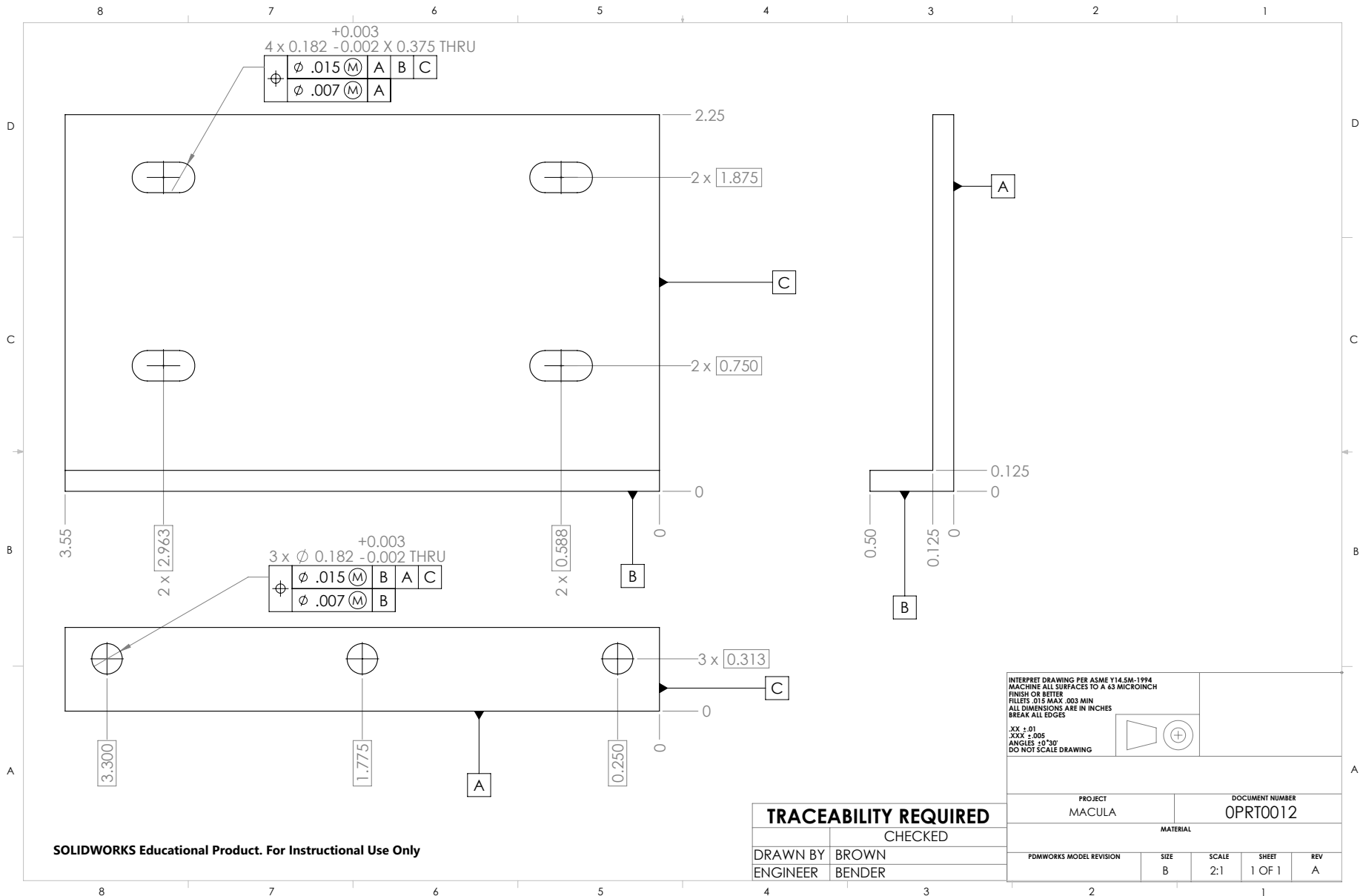
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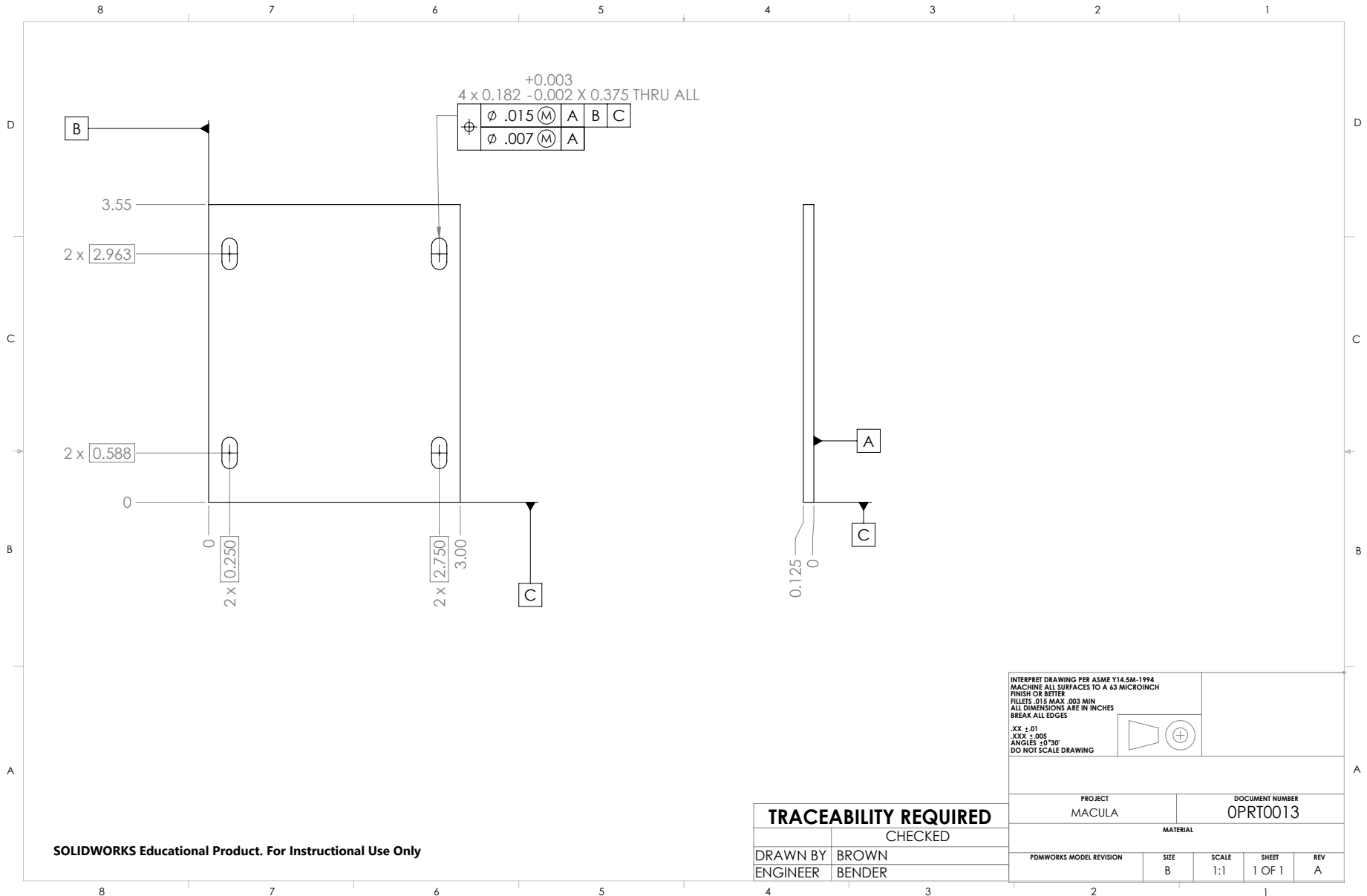


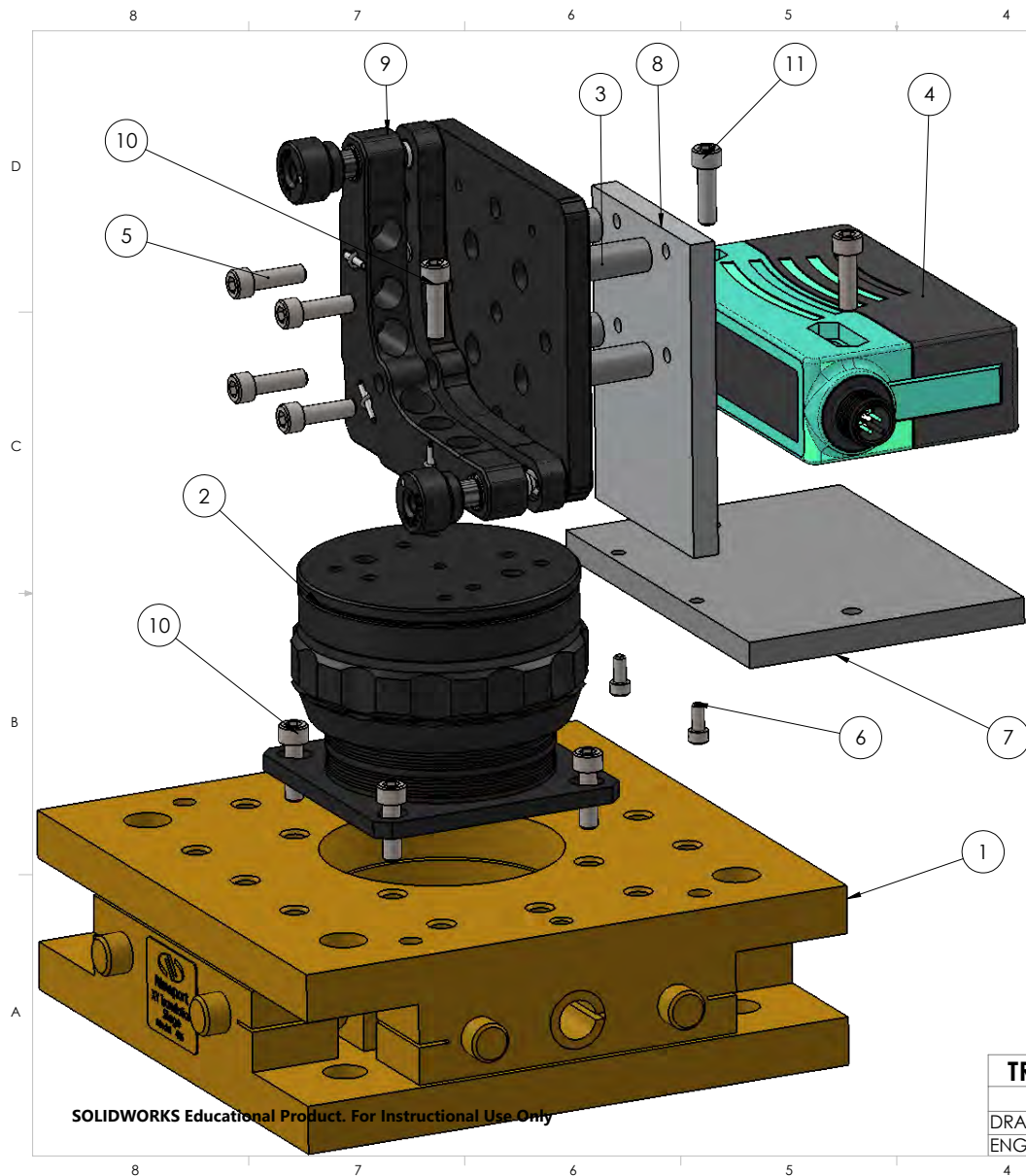
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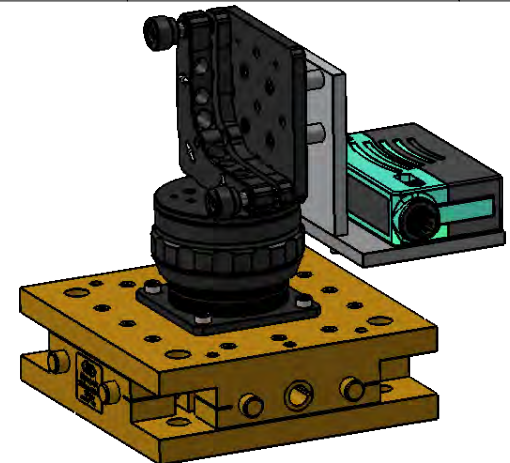








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3	92510A567	SPACER	4
4	VDM28	LIDAR	1
5	# 8- 32 X 3/8 SHCS	TBD LENGTH	5
6	# 4-40 X 7/16 SHCS	TBD LENGTH	2
7	OPRT0011	SCN, Lidar Plate	1
8	OPRT0020	SCN, Lidar Bracket	1
9	KM200B	TILT STAGE	1
10	# 8- 32 X 1.00 SHCS		4
11	# 8- 32 X 1.125 SHCS		2



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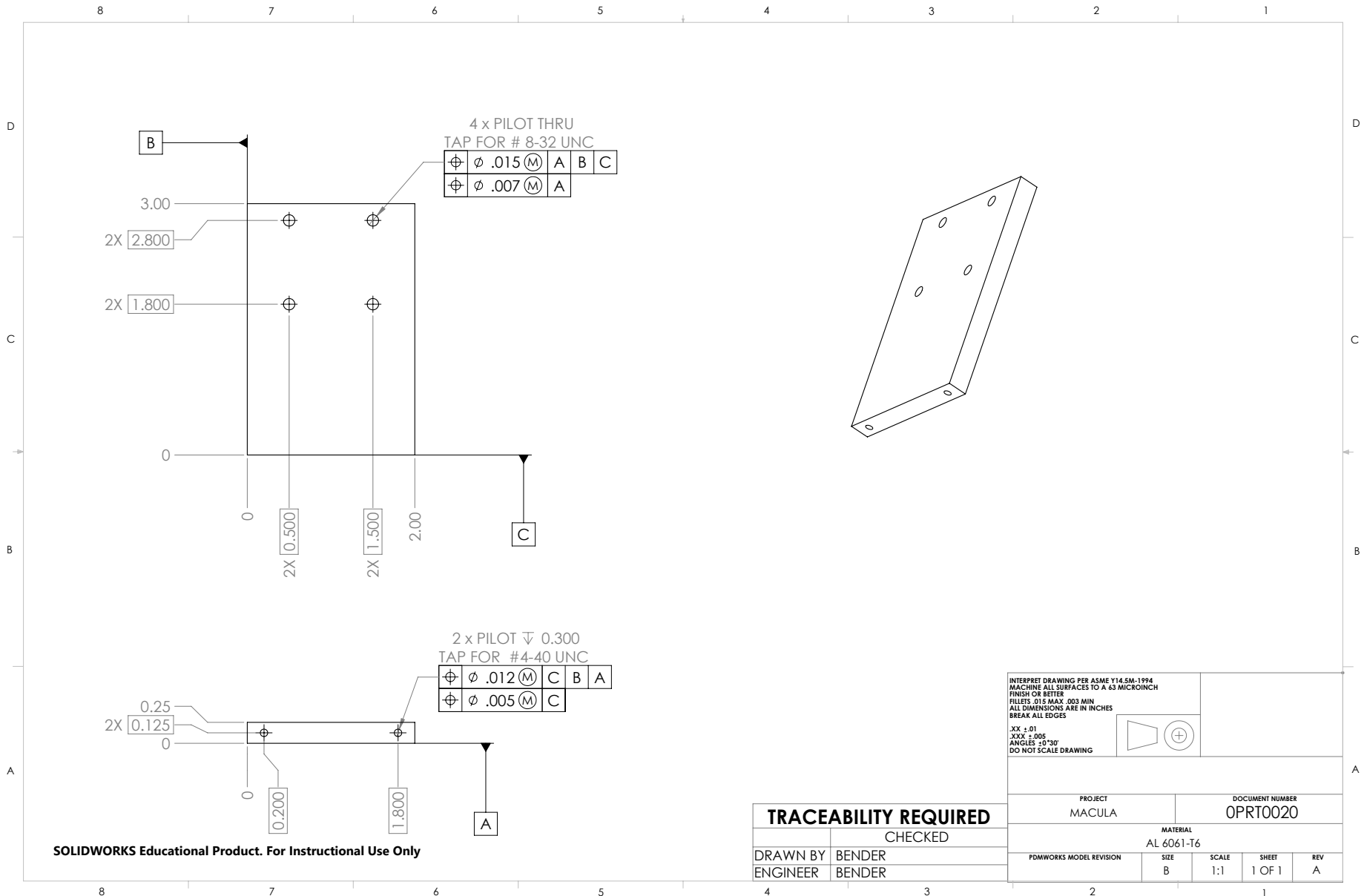
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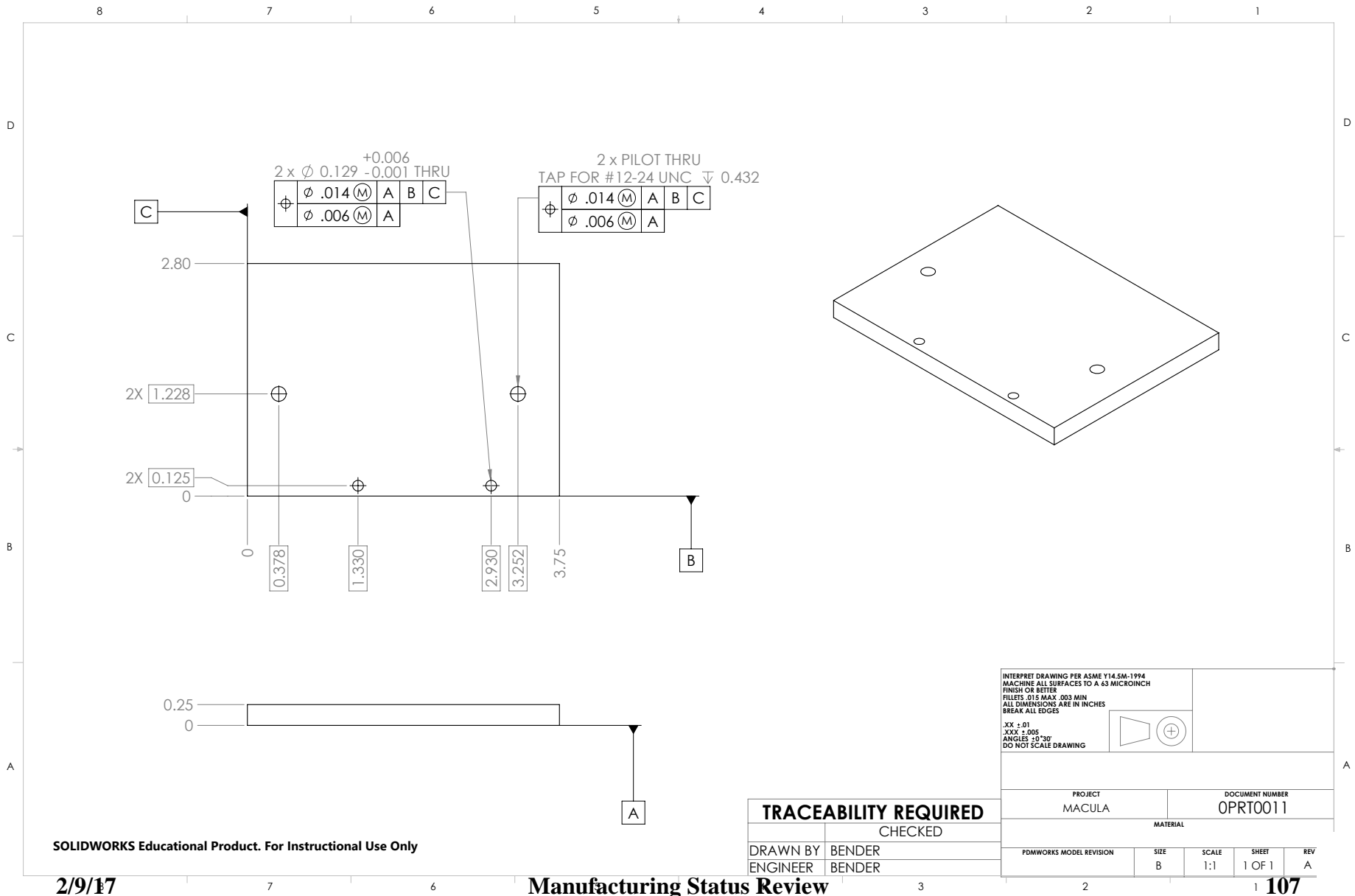
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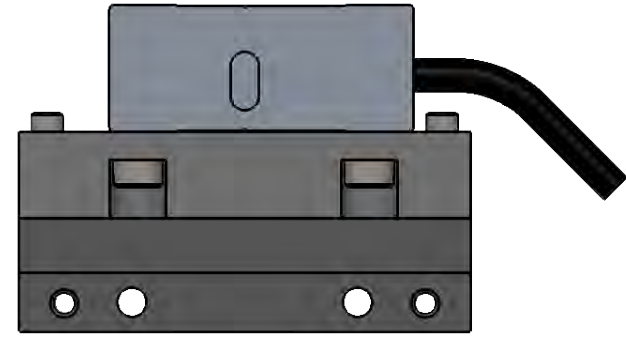
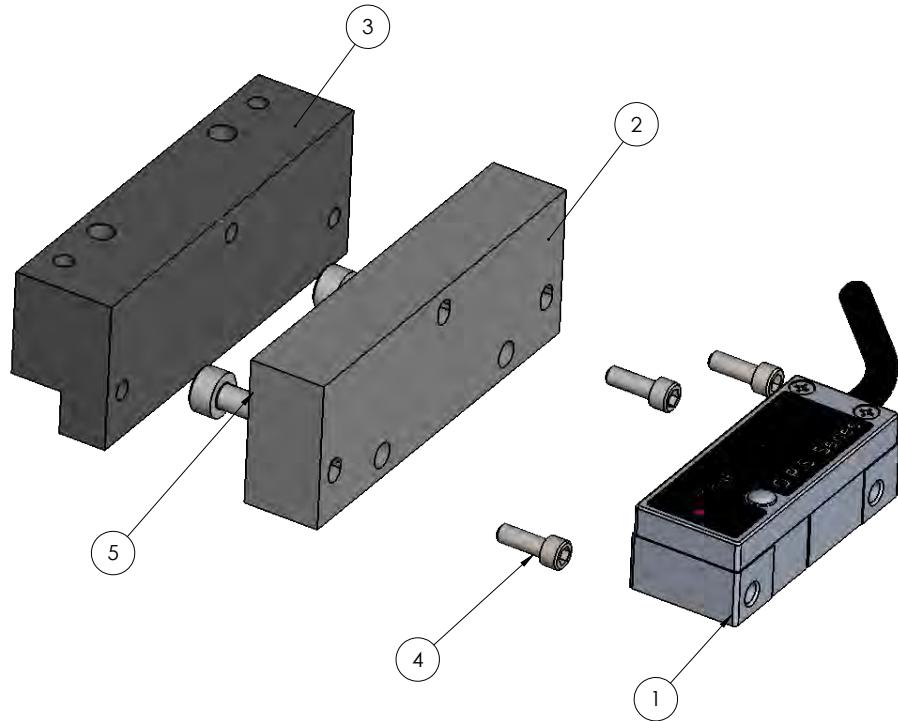
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Manufacturing Status Review

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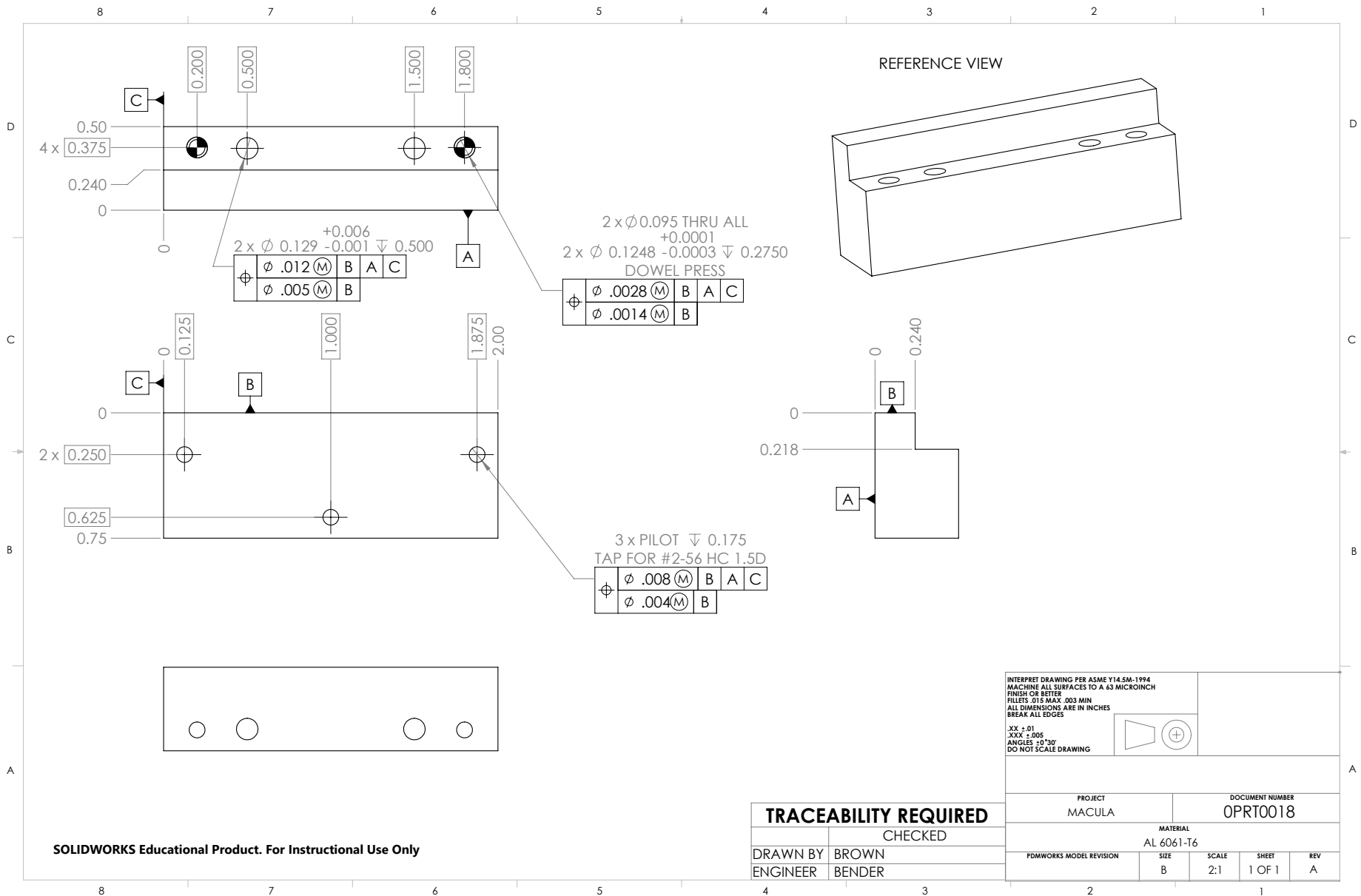
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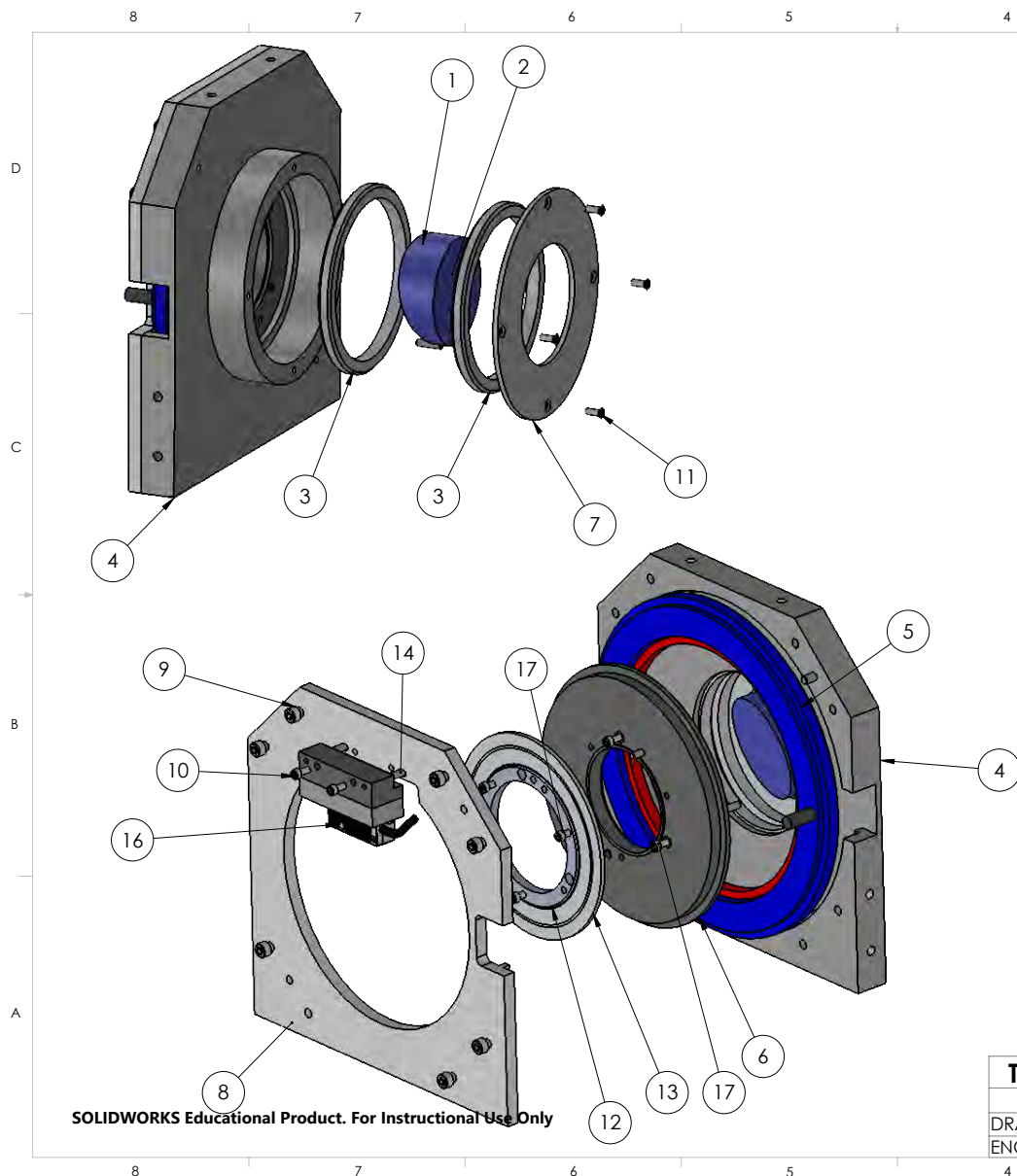


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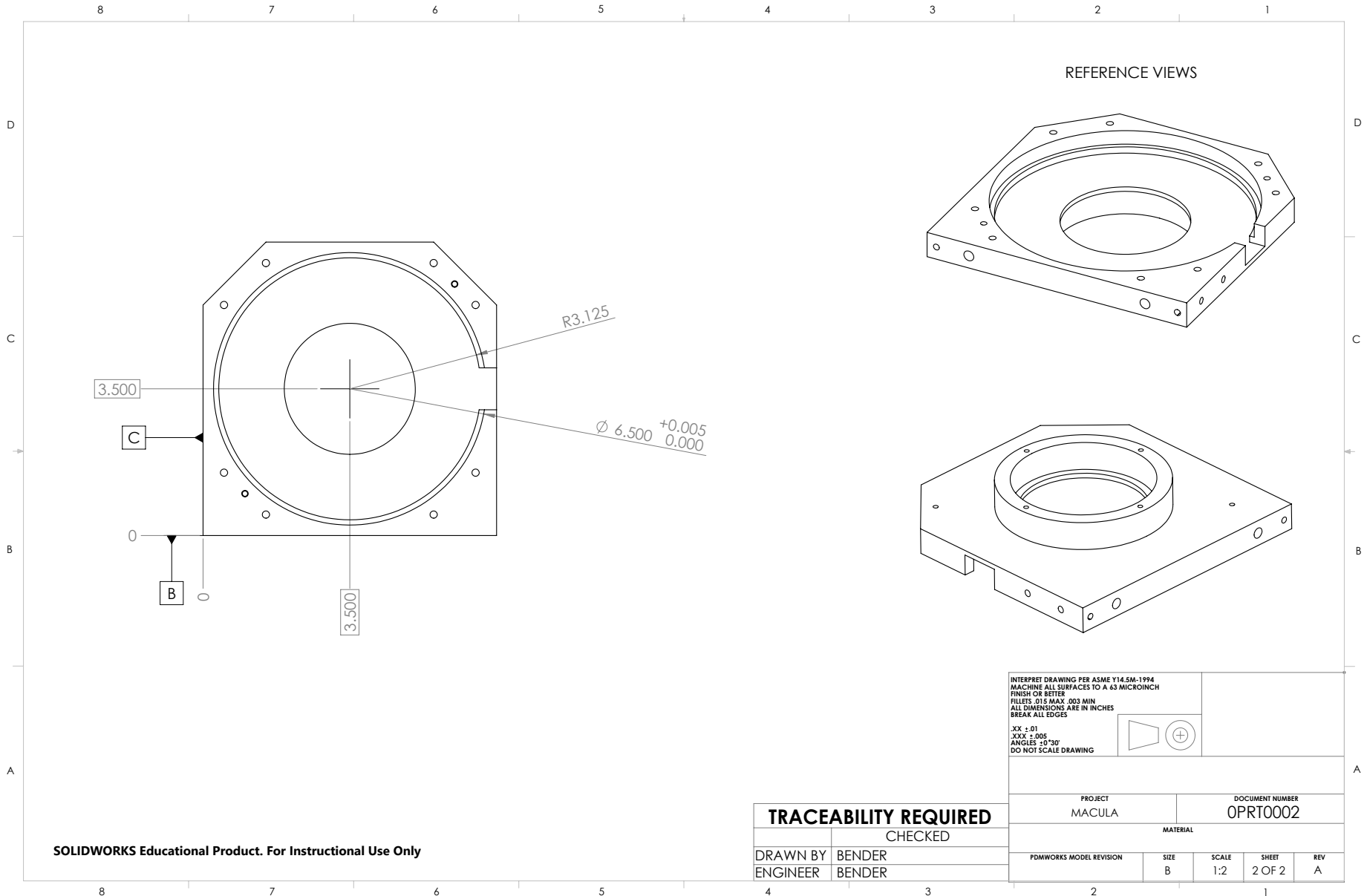
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4	OPRT0002	SCN, Scanning Stage, Main Housing	1
5	ult-165-a-12-a-n-001	BLDC Motor	1
6	OPRT0004	SCN, Rotor	1
7	OPRT0006	SCN, Bearing Clamp	1
8	OPRT0007	SCN, Motor Clamp	1
9	# 8-32 X .5625 SHCS		8
10	#4-40 X .75 SHCS		2
11	#4-40 X.3125 FLATHEAD		4
12	OPRT0005	SCN, Encoder Hub	1
13	OPRT0008	SCN, Encoder Glass Scale	1
14	OPRT0016	SCN, Dowel Pin	4
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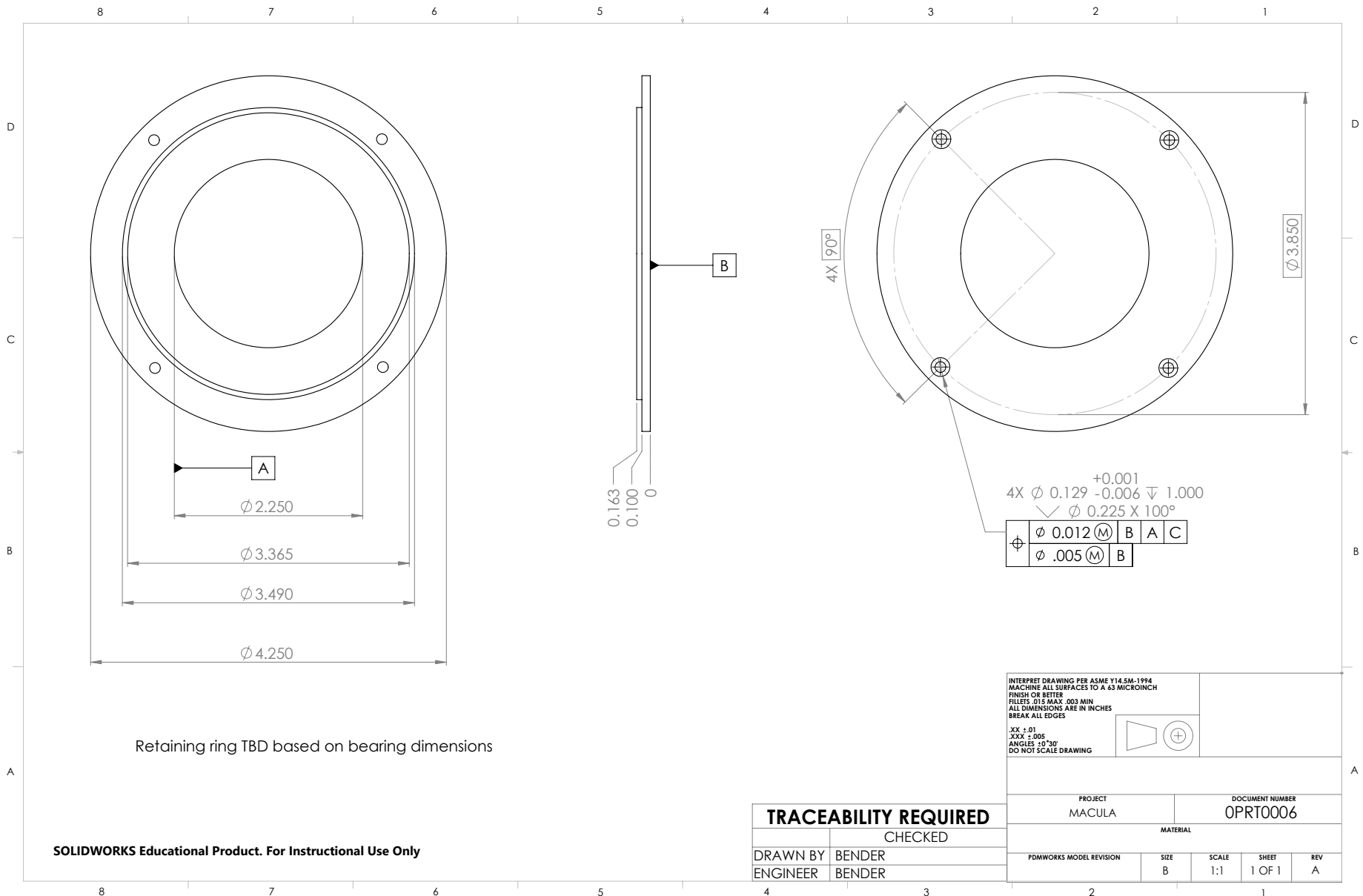
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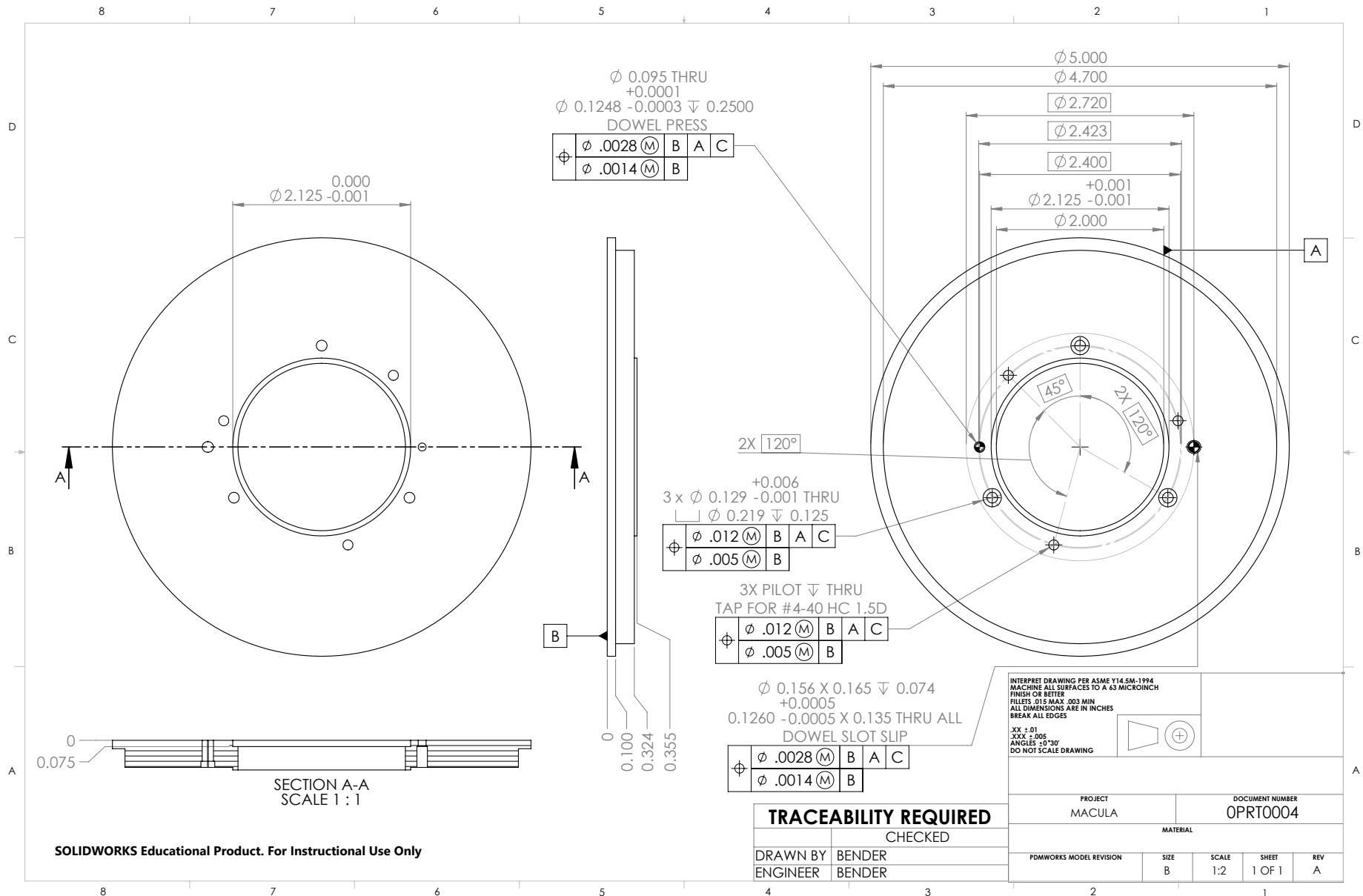


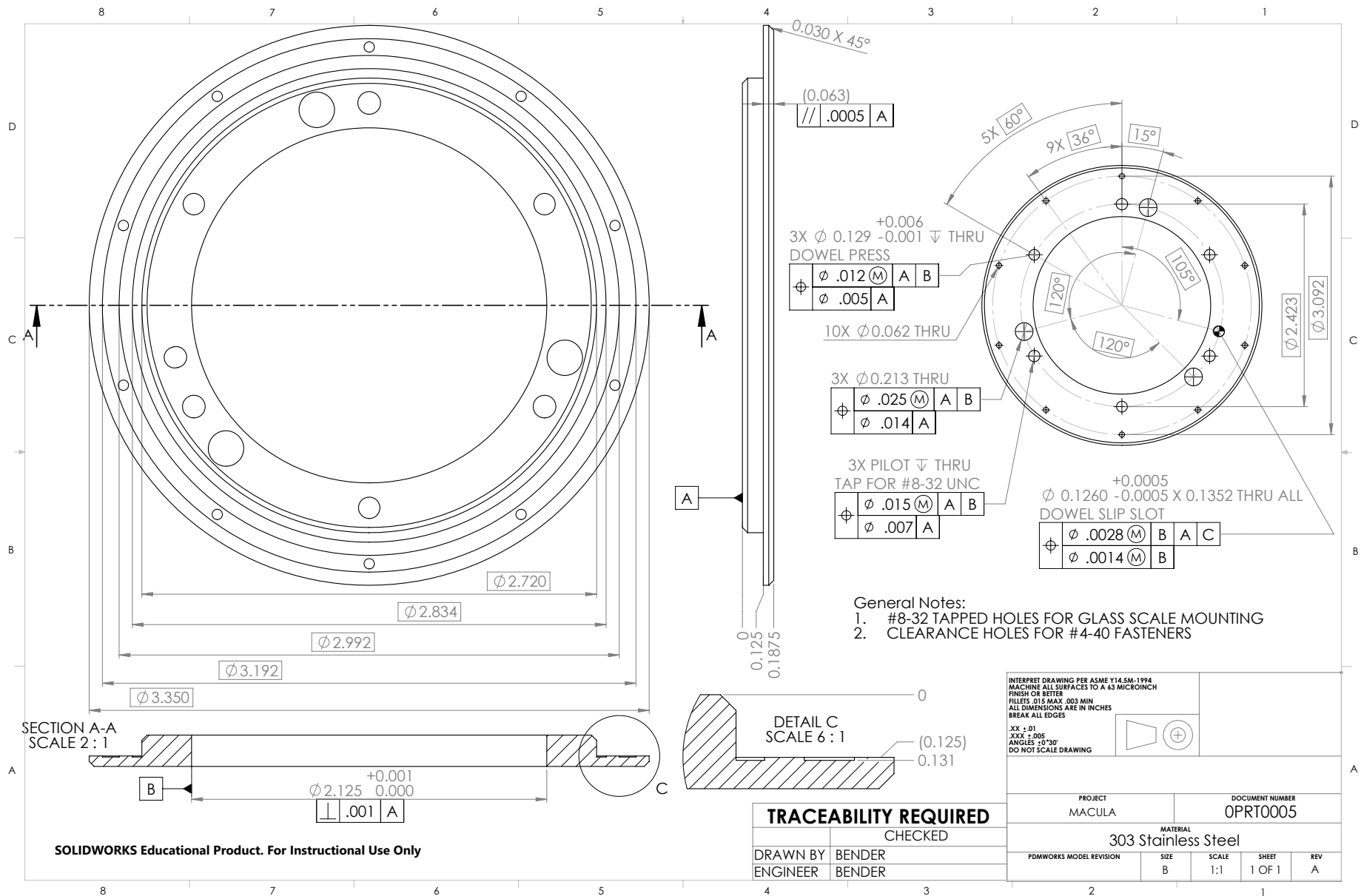
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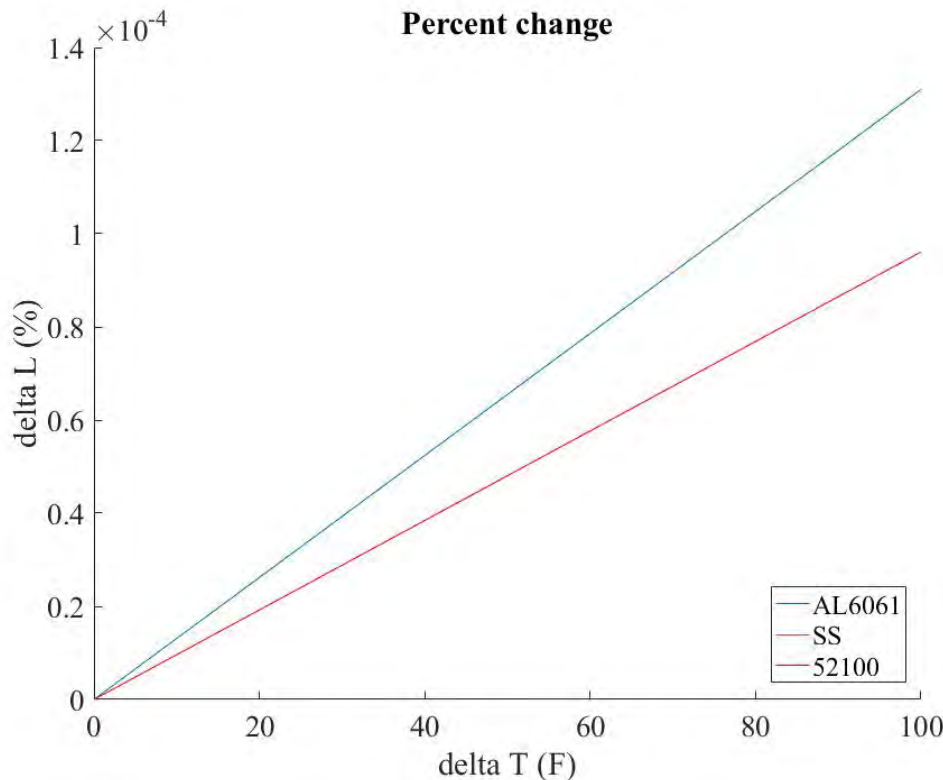


BACKUP: MATERIAL ANALYSIS

- Linear Thermal Expansion: $\Delta l = l_0 \alpha (T_f - T_o)$

Thermal Expansion Coefficients

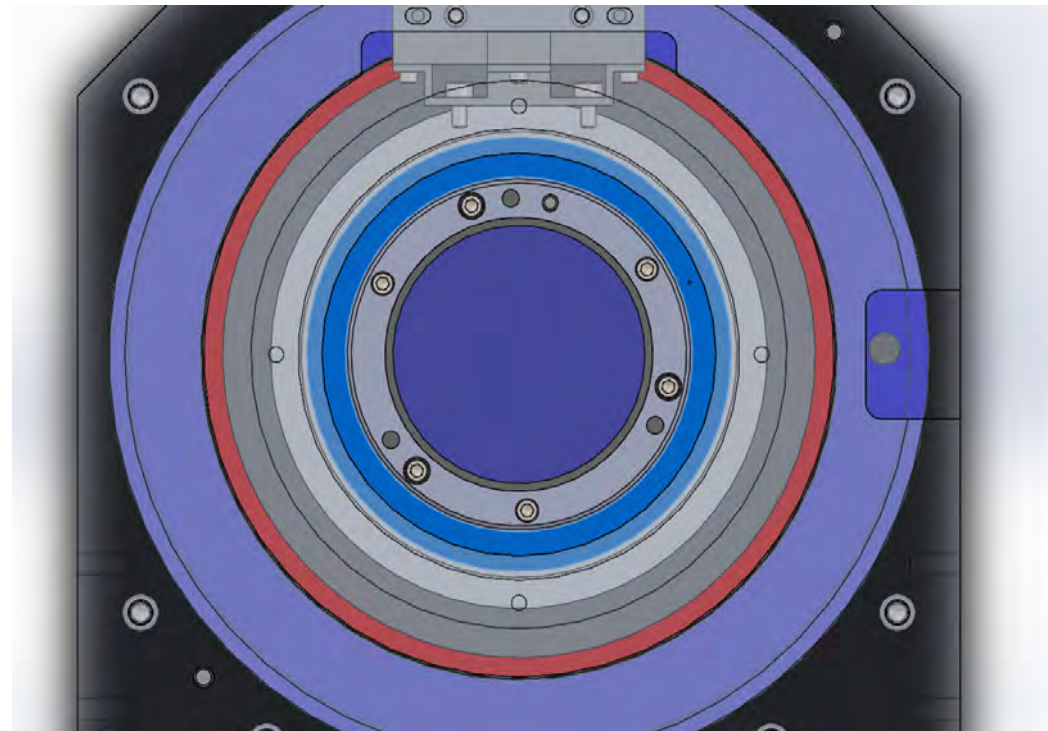
- $\alpha_{al} = 13.1 \frac{\mu in}{in F}$
- $\alpha_{ss} = 6.61 \frac{\mu in}{in F}$
- $\alpha_{52100} = 9.61 \frac{\mu in}{in F}$



Max error (5°F)

- 0.003806°
- 2.5% of error budget

- Steel dowel pin
 - $V_{max} = 7117 \text{ N}$
 - $\tau_{allow} = 246 \text{ Nm}$
 - $\tau_{max} = 1.26 \text{ Nm}$
 - FOS = 202





BACKUP: HARDWARE TRADE STUDIES

Position Sensor Trade Study



Metric	1	2	3	4	5
Resolution	$\geq 0.15^\circ$	$\geq 0.075^\circ$	$\geq 0.0375^\circ$	$\geq 0.0187^\circ$	$\geq 0.0094^\circ$
Interface/Decoding	Not a common on chip peripheral	-	-	-	Common on chip peripheral
Cost per	$\geq \$600$	$\geq \$500$	$\geq \$400$	$\geq \$300$	$\geq \$200$

	Weight	Absolute	Incremental	Sin Cos Incremental	Rotary Potentiometer	Resolver
Resolution	50%	3	4	5	1	3
Interface	40%	1	5	1	5	1
Cost	10%	2	2	2	5	1
Sum	100%	2.1	4.2	3.1	3.0	2.0

Encoder Trade Study

Metric	1	2	3	4	5
Cost	≥ \$1400	≥ \$1200	≥ \$1000	≥ \$800	≥ \$600
Immunity to Environment	Knocked out by a slight breeze	Constant Interference	Innately exposed scanning head	Innately shrouded scanning head	Impervious
Design Flexibility	Any change requires replacing both scanning head and scale	Diameter change requires replacing both scanning head and scale	Scale change requires replacing both scanning head and scale	-	Scanning head and scale may be changed independently of each other, diameter only affects scale

	Weight	OPS Series	IncOder Series	Lika SMR Series	Heidenhain
Cost	40%	5	3	5	1
Immunity to Environment	30%	3	5	2	4
Design Flexibility	30%	5	2	5	5
Sum	100%	4.4	3.3	4.1	3.1

Motor Driver Trade Study

Metric	1	2	3	4	5
Cost	≥ \$500	≥ \$400	≥ \$300	≥ \$200	≥ \$100
Development Time	Build board, create control law, tuning	-	Create control law, then tune	-	Just tuning
Modes of control	Torque / Current	-	Velocity, Torque / Current	-	Position, Velocity, Torque / Current
Commutation / Feedback	Hall effect	-	Sensor-less	-	Encoder Feedback

	Weight	Custom	AMC Servo Drivers	TI BLDC Motor Controllers	ST Eval Boards
Cost	10%	5	2	5	5
Development Time	40%	1	5	3	3
Modes of control	20%	5	5	3	5
Commutation / Feedback	30%	5	5	3	5
Sum	100%	3.4	4.7	3.2	4.2



Microcontroller Trade Study



Metric	1	2	3	4	5
Cost	≥ \$500	≥ \$400	≥ \$300	≥ \$200	≥ \$100
Development Time	Build board from scratch	-	Bare Metal C	Has an OS or a third party application to ease development	OS, can use previously written Python scripts
Peripherals	Does not have any needed	Has only ADC	Has ADC, and UART	Has ADC, UART, USB/Ethernet	Has ADC, UART, USB/Ethernet, quadrature decoders
Design Flexibility	Component changes requires a different microcontroller	-	Component changes requires additional chips to handle them, but can interface with microcontroller	Program FPGA to adapt	Easy to adjust to component changes

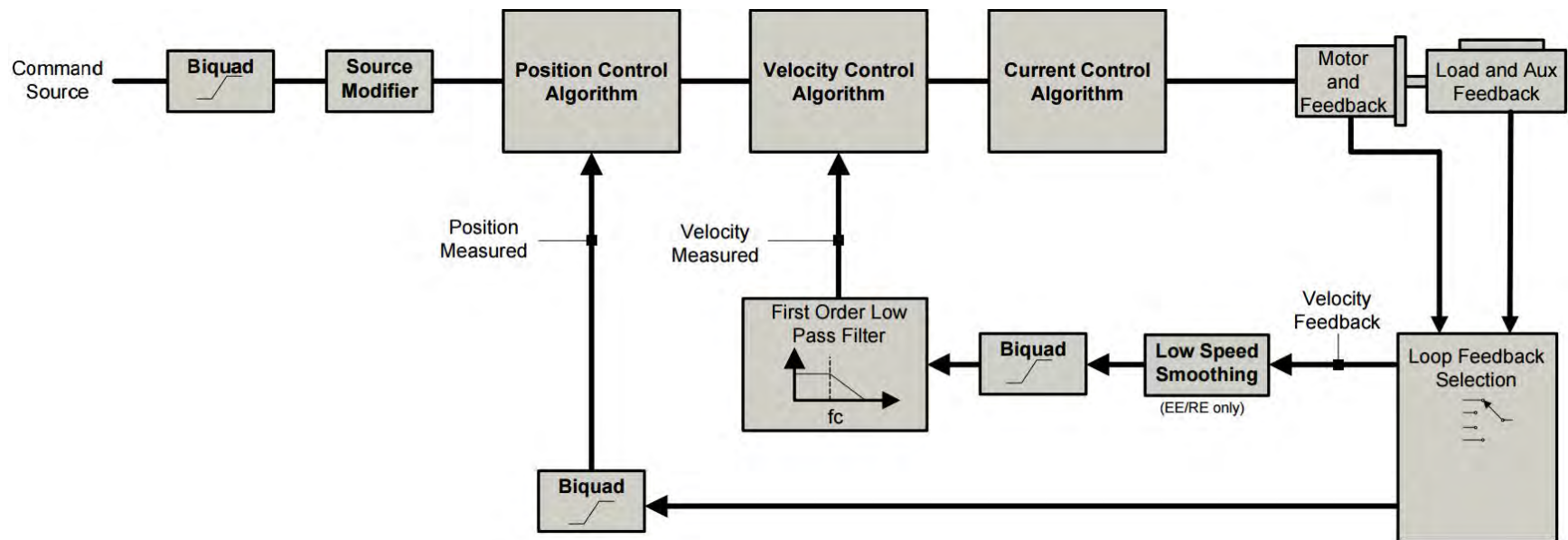
	Weight	Custom	BeagleBone Black	Pi Series	MyRio	ZedBoard
Cost	15%	4	5	5	1	3
Development Time	30%	1	5	5	4	5
Peripherals	40%	5	5	3	5	5
Design Flexibility	15%	5	3	3	4	3
Sum	100%	3.65	4.7	3.9	3.95	4.4



BACKUP: MOTOR/PRISM CONTROL

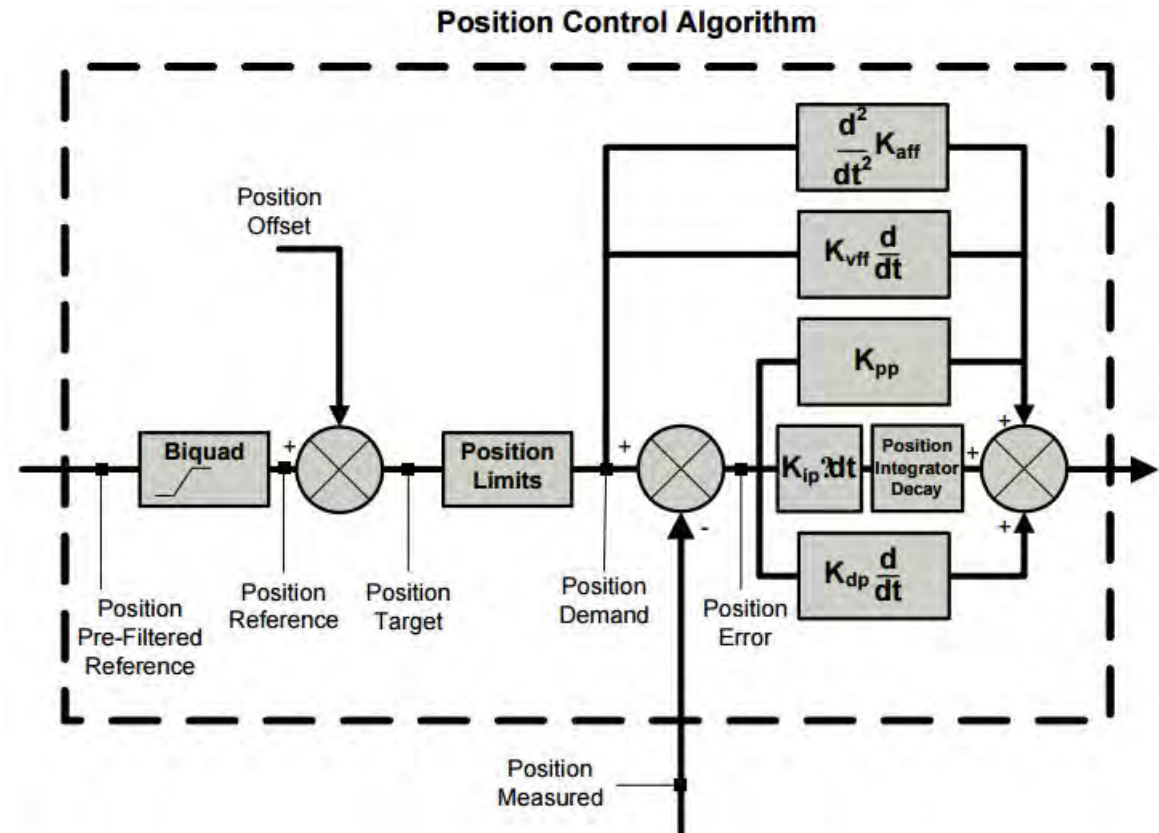
Control Loop

- Built in feedback control
- Primary positional or velocity control



Position Control

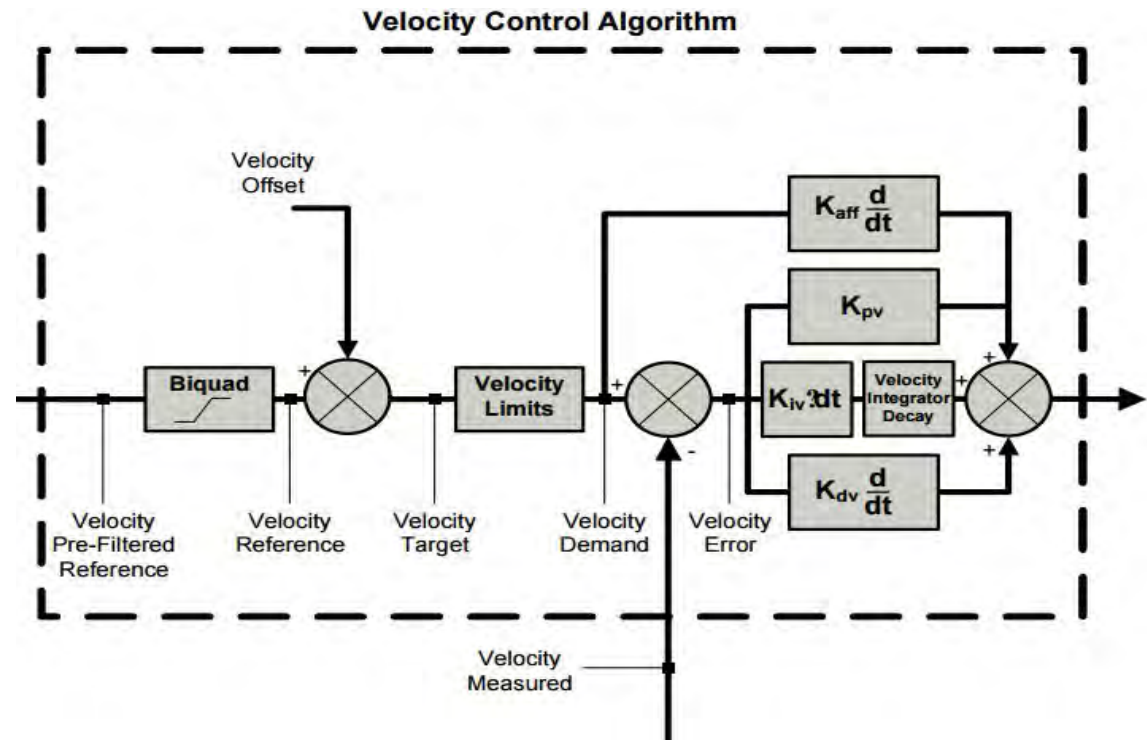
- P.I.D control
- Feedforward acceleration and velocity



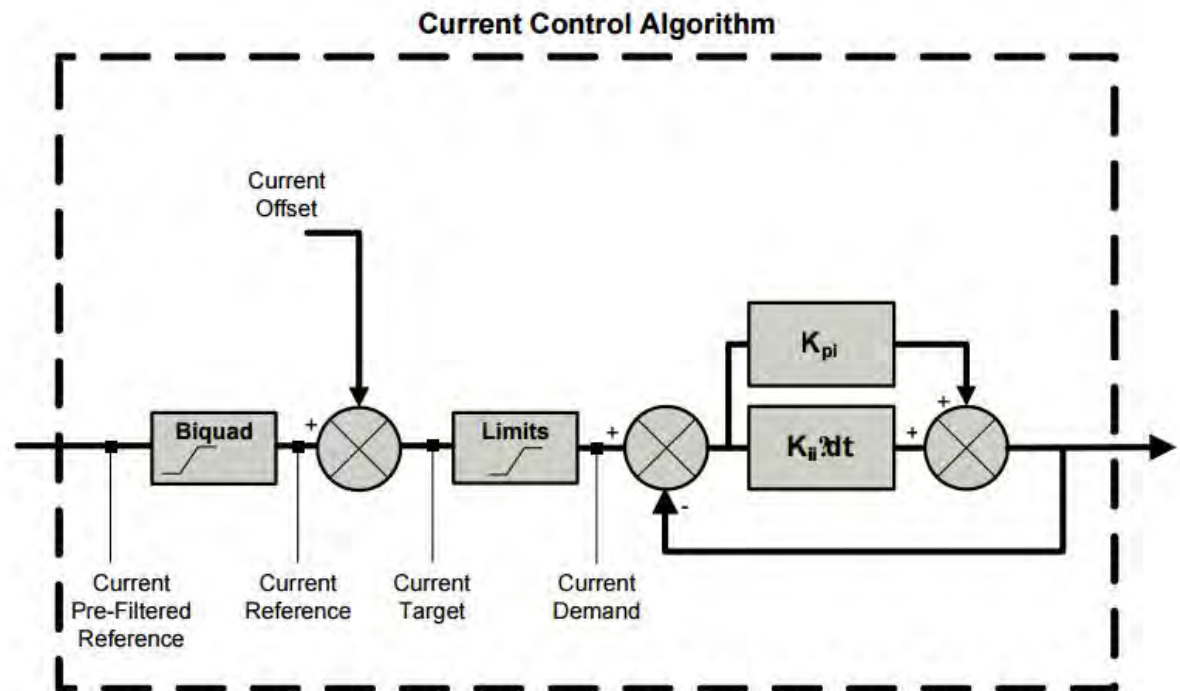
Position around Velocity



- Used when position trajectory must be tracked closely
- Feed forward gains added for better tracking

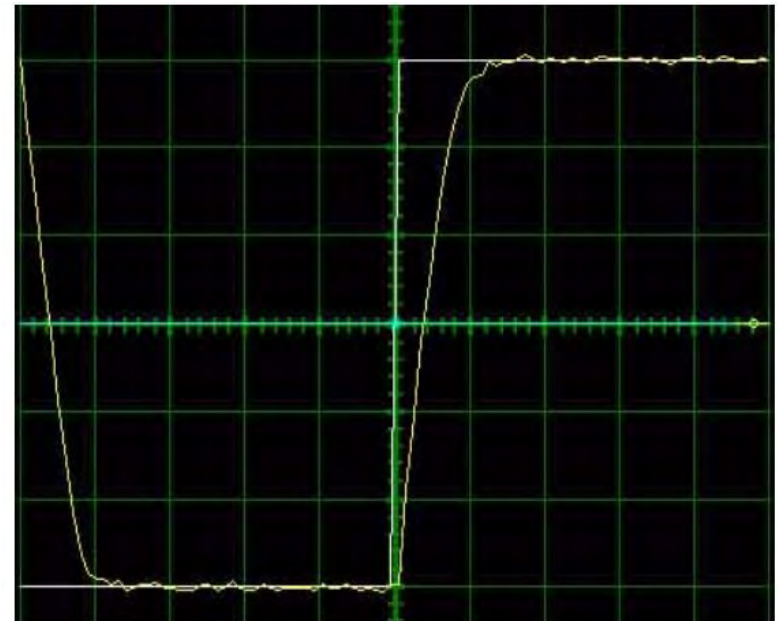


- Point-to-point applications



Tuning

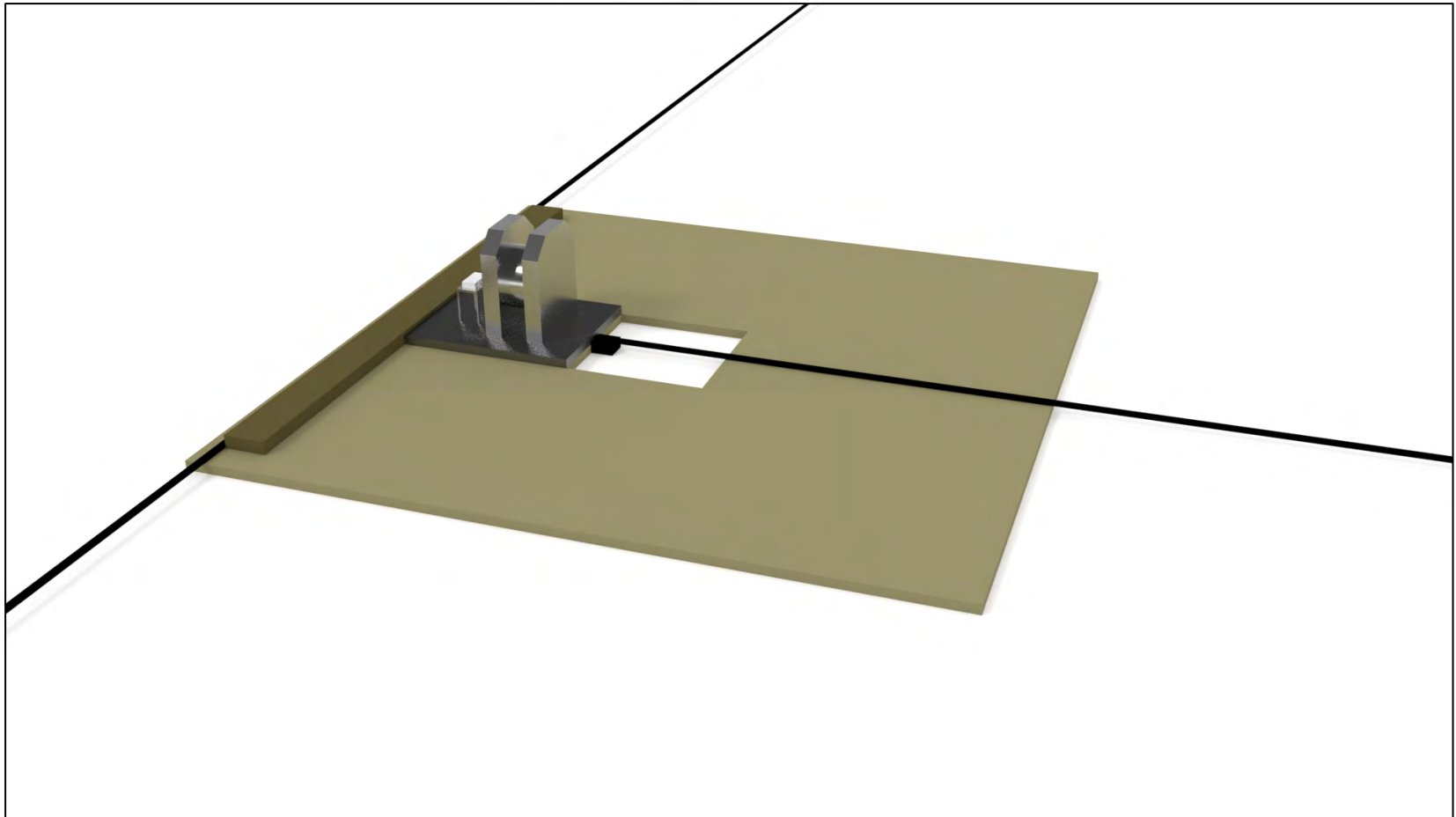
- Performed with a motor installed into system
- Oscilloscope
 - 1-3Hz square wave
 - Channel one: Position Target
 - Channel two: Position Measured
- Gains initialized to zero
 - $0 \leq K_p \leq 0.5$
 - $0 \leq K_i \leq 9.766$
 - $0 \leq K_d \leq 0.0008$
 - $0 \leq K_v \leq 0.0008$
 - $0 \leq K_a \leq 8 \times$





BACKUP: CALIBRATION

Test Plan: Calibration (Close-up)



Theodolite

What does it do?

- Determines vertical and horizontal angles of surveyed

How does it work?

- Plumb bobs ensures that it is vertical relative to the surveying point
- Internal bubble level ensures that it is level relative to the horizon
- Graduated circles allow for horizontal and vertical angles of surveyed object to be measured



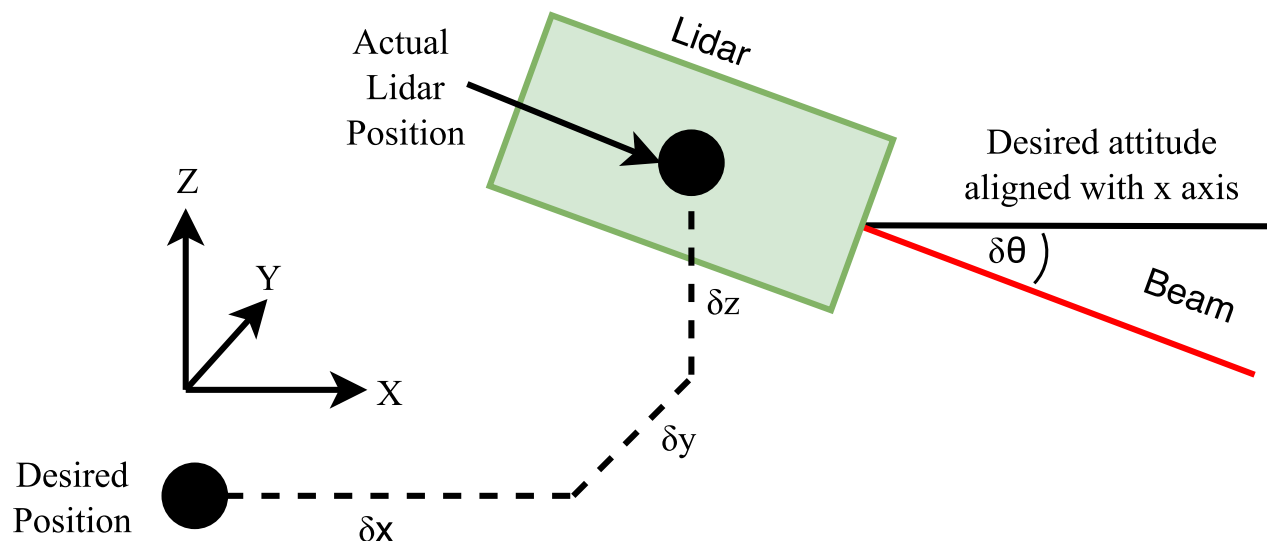
Sources of Error

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Must be Calibrated
System Inherent

Lidar:

- Translational deviations
- Rotational deviations
- Beam divergence



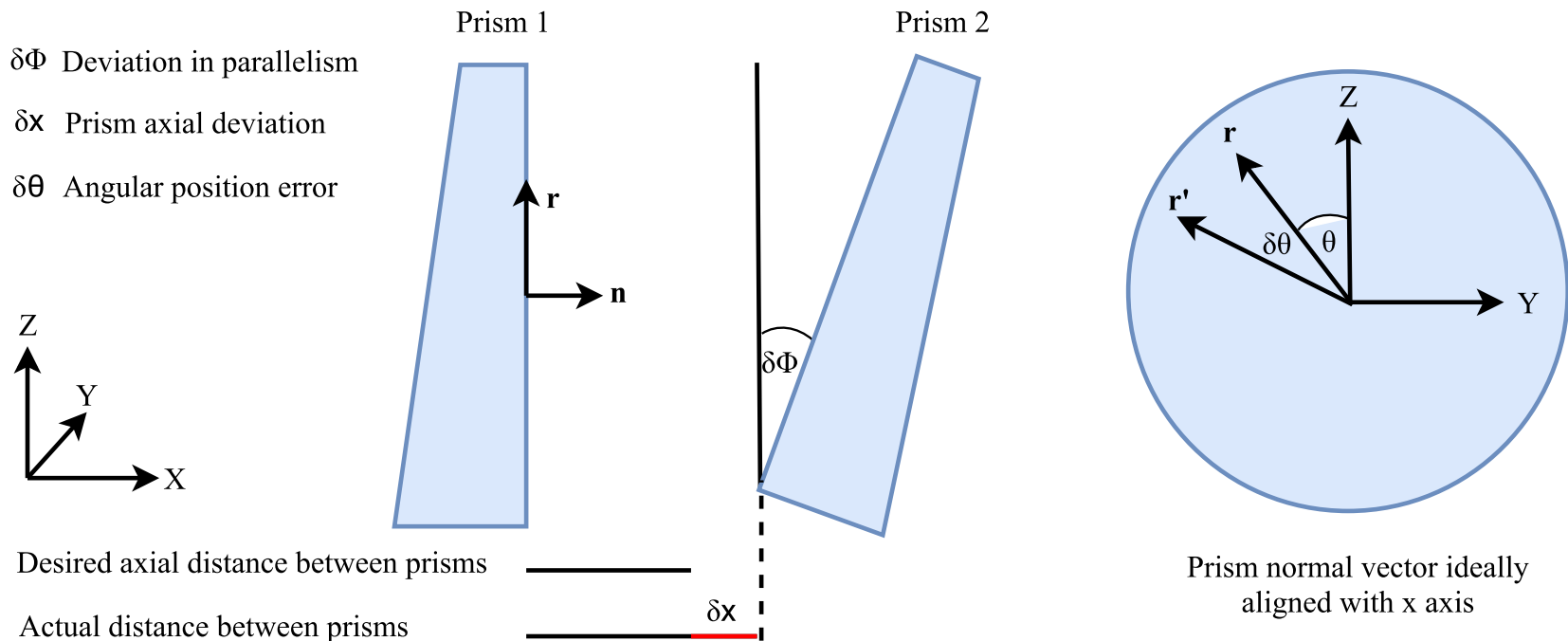
Sources of Error



Prisms:

- Uncertainty in wedge angle
- Uncertainty in index of refraction

Acceptable / Easily Mitigated
Must be Calibrated

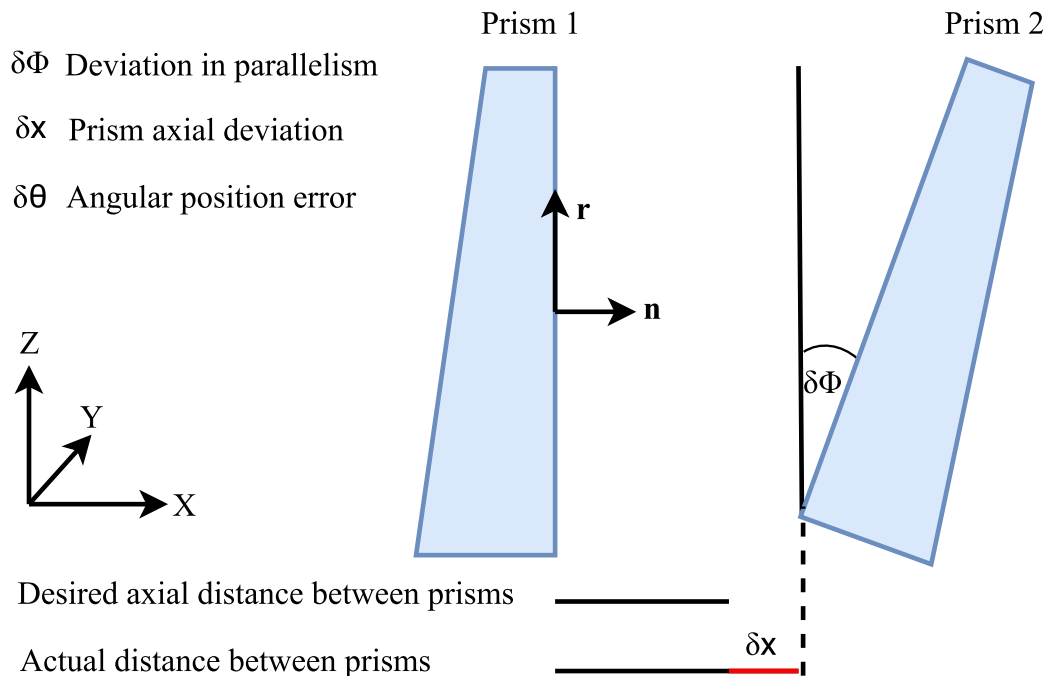


Sources of Error

Prisms:

- Uncertainty in angular position
- Deviation from parallelism
- Translational deviations

Acceptable / Easily Mitigated
Must be Calibrated



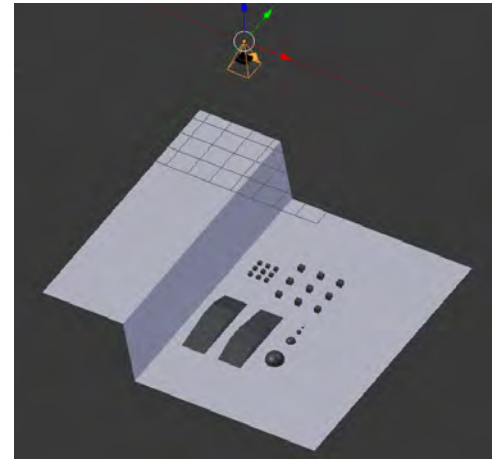


BACKUP: SOFTWARE/ALGORITHM

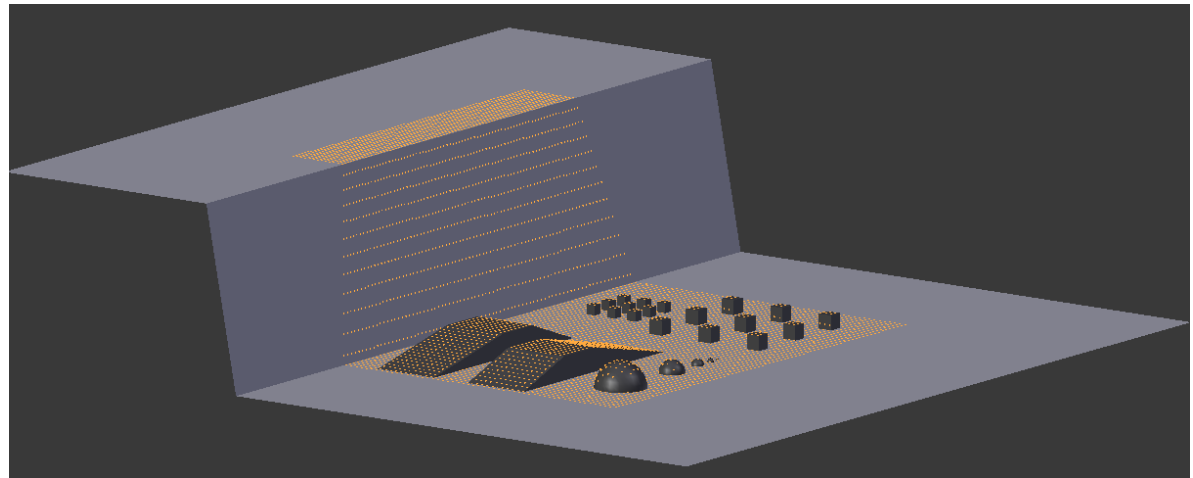
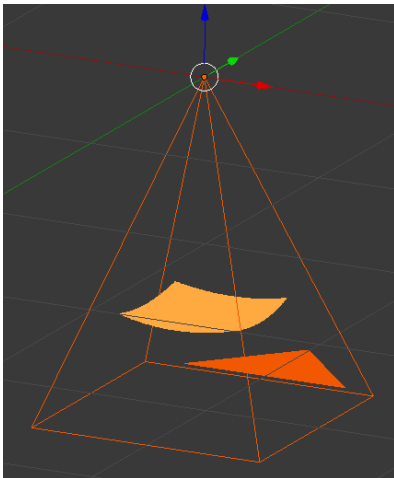
- Blender is an open-source program for 3D modeling
- Projects points onto any arbitrary face or object to simulate a lidar scan
- Can extract 3D data by running Python scripts within Blender



Example Blender artwork

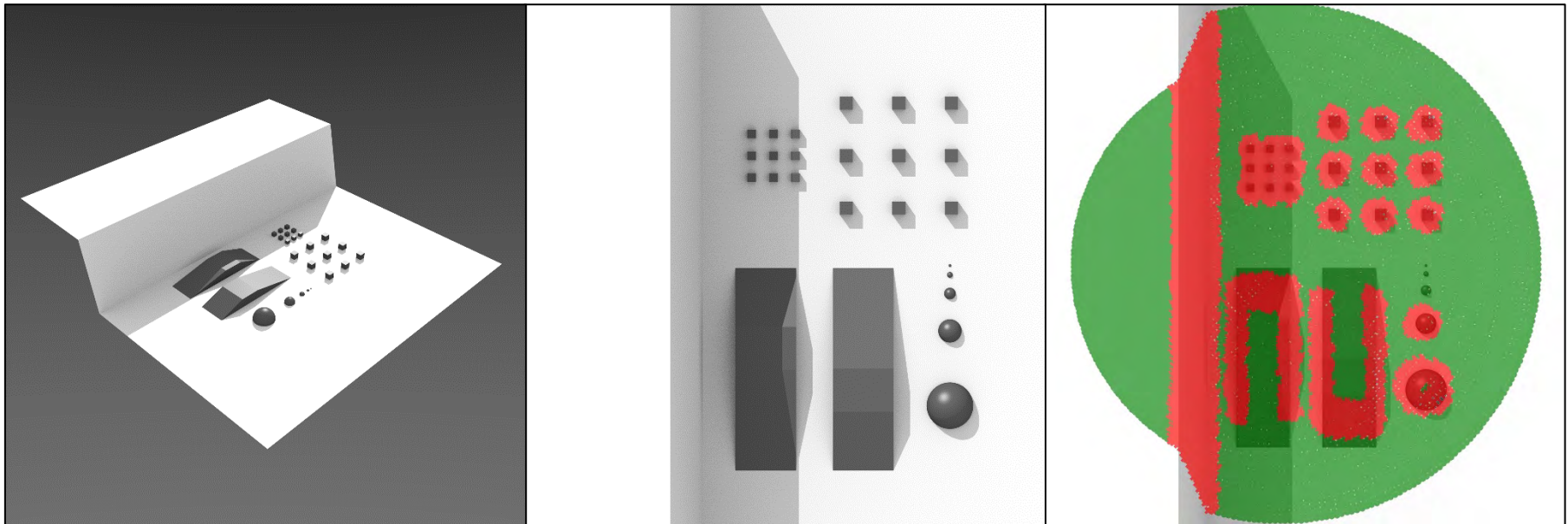


- Scan pattern is defined on the plane of the ground, and projected backward onto a sphere centered on the lidar (Blender camera)
- The pattern is then projected outward from the lidar location onto the modeled map
- A Python script exports the point cloud to a CSV file

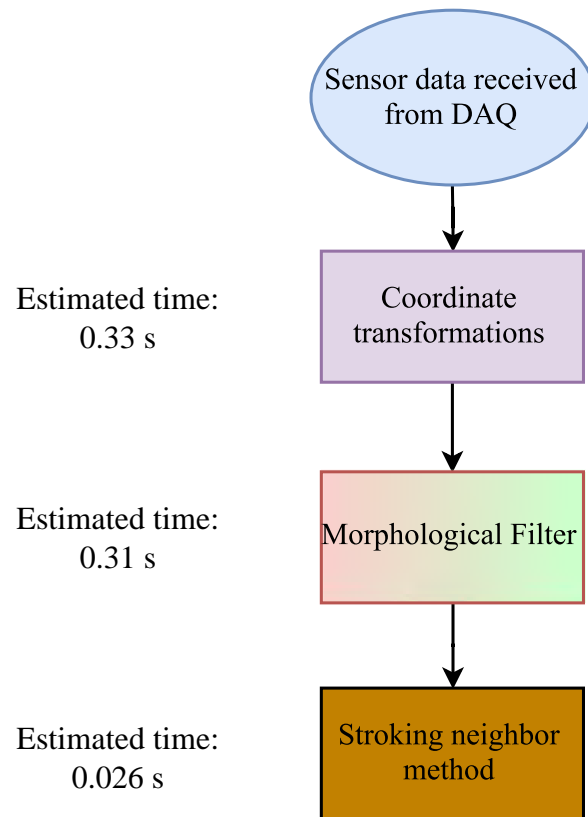


Morphological Filter

- Identifies hazards by height differences between neighboring points
- Time to run on laptop: 0.31 sec for 10 cm grid



Time Estimates



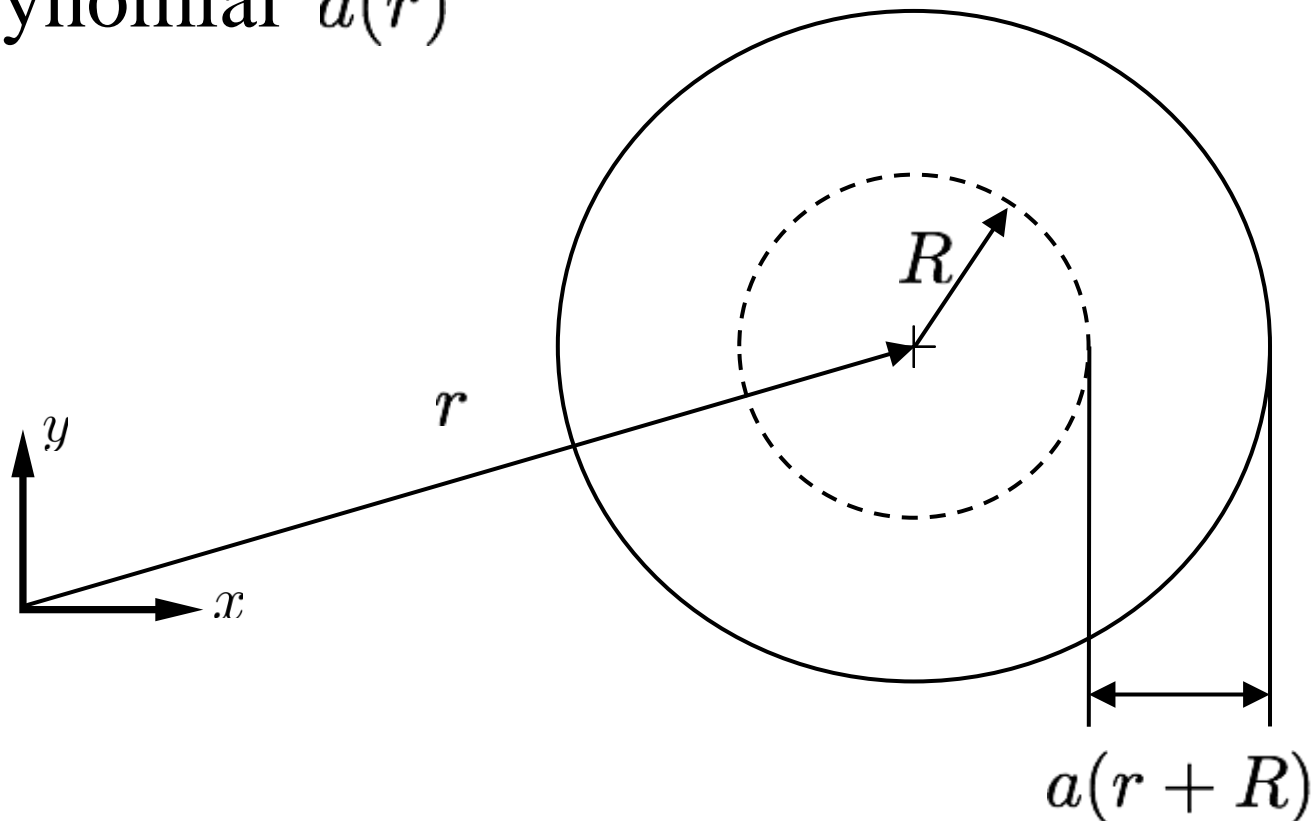
Estimated total time for software elements when run in Python on a personal laptop: about **0.666 s**

Analysis shows that the BeagleBone will run ~10.24 times slower (**6.83 s**). Given our 10 s margin, we will be well within the time requirement even after porting to the microprocessor. More computationally expensive functions may be written in C for speed improvements.

Error Compensation



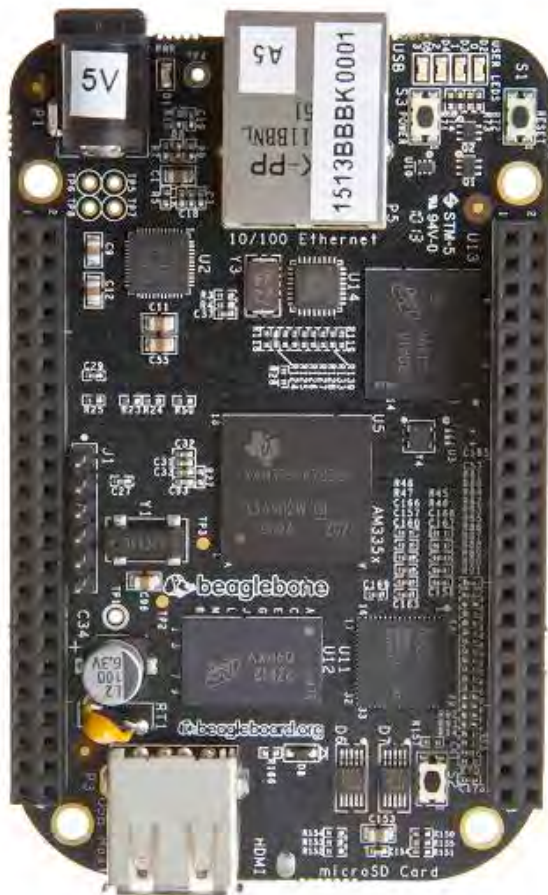
We fit the semimajor axis of the error ellipse to a polynomial $a(r)$





BACKUP: BEAGLEBONE

BeagleBone Black Rev C.1



Feature	
Processor	Sitara AM3358BZCZ100
Graphics Engine	1GHz, 2000 MIPS
SDRAM Memory	SGX530 3D, 20M Polygons/S
Onboard Flash	512MB DDR3L 800MHZ
PMIC	4GB, 8bit Embedded MMC
Debug Support	TPS65217C PMIC regulator and one additional LDO.
Power Source	Optional Onboard 20-pin CTI JTAG, Serial Header
PCB	miniUSB USB or DC Jack
Indicators	5VDC External Via Expansion Header
HS USB 2.0 Client Port	3.4" x 2.1"
HS USB 2.0 Host Port	6 layers
Serial Port	1-Power, 2-Ethernet, 4-User Controllable LEDs
Ethernet	Access to USB0, Client mode via miniUSB
SD/MMC Connector	Access to USB1, Type A Socket, 500mA LS/FS/HS
User Input	UART0 access via 6 pin 3.3V TTL Header. Header is populated
Video Out	10/100, RJ45
Audio	microSD , 3.3V
Expansion Connectors	Reset Button Boot Button Power Button
Weight	16b HDMI, 1280x1024 (MAX) 1024x768, 1280x720, 1440x900, 1920x1080 @24Hz w/EDID Support
Power	Via HDMI Interface, Stereo
	Power 5V, 3.3V , VDD_ADC(1.8V) 3.3V I/O on all signals
	McASP0, SPI1, I2C, GPIO(69 max), LCD, GPMC, MMC1, MMC2, 7 AIN(1.8V MAX), 4 Timers, 4 Serial Ports, CAN0, EHRPWM(0.2).XDMA Interrupt, Power button, Expansion Board ID (Up to 4 can be stacked)

Expansion Header P8 Pinout

PIN	PROC	NAME	MODE0	MODE1	MODE2	MODE3	MODE4	MODE5	MODE6	MODE7
1,2						GND				
3	R9	GPIO1_6	gpmc_ad6	mmc1_dat6						gpio1[6]
4	T9	GPIO1_7	gpmc_ad7	mmc1_dat7						gpio1[7]
5	R8	GPIO1_2	gpmc_ad2	mmc1_dat2						gpio1[2]
6	T8	GPIO1_3	gpmc_ad3	mmc1_dat3						gpio1[3]
7	R7	TIMER4	gpmc_advn_ale		timer4					gpio2[2]
8	T7	TIMER7	gpmc_oen_ren		timer7					gpio2[3]
9	T6	TIMER5	gpmc_be0n_cle		timer5					gpio2[5]
10	U6	TIMER6	gpmc_wen		timer6					gpio2[4]
11	R12	GPIO1_13	gpmc_ad13	lcd_data18	mmc1_dat5	mmc2_dat1	eQEP2B_in		pr1_pru0_pru_r30_15	gpio1[13]
12	T12	GPIO1_12	gpmc_ad12	lcd_data19	mmc1_dat4	mmc2_dat0	Eqep2a_in		pr1_pru0_pru_r30_14	gpio1[12]
13	T10	EHRPWM2B	gpmc_ad9	lcd_data22	mmc1_dat1	mmc2_dat5	ehrpwm2B			gpio0[23]
14	T11	GPIO0_26	gpmc_ad10	lcd_data21	mmc1_dat2	mmc2_dat6	ehrpwm2_tripzone_in			gpio0[26]
15	U13	GPIO1_15	gpmc_ad15	lcd_data16	mmc1_dat7	mmc2_dat3	eQEP2_strobe		pr1_pru0_pru_r31_15	gpio1[15]
16	V13	GPIO1_14	gpmc_ad14	lcd_data17	mmc1_dat6	mmc2_dat2	eQEP2_index		pr1_pru0_pru_r31_14	gpio1[14]
17	U12	GPIO0_27	gpmc_ad11	lcd_data20	mmc1_dat3	mmc2_dat7	ehrpwm0_synco			gpio0[27]
18	V12	GPIO2_1	gpmc_clk_mux0	lcd_memory_clk	gpmc_wait1	mmc2_clk			mcaspo_fsr	gpio2[1]
19	U10	EHRPWM2A	gpmc_ad8	lcd_data23	mmc1_dat0	mmc2_dat4	ehrpwm2A			gpio0[22]
20	V9	GPIO1_31	gpmc_csn2	gpmc_be1n	mmc1_cmd			pr1_pru1_pru_r30_13	pr1_pru1_pru_r31_13	gpio1[31]
21	U9	GPIO1_30	gpmc_csn1	gpmc_clk	mmc1_clk			pr1_pru1_pru_r30_12	pr1_pru1_pru_r31_12	gpio1[30]
22	V8	GPIO1_5	gpmc_ad5	mmc1_dat5						gpio1[5]
23	U8	GPIO1_4	gpmc_ad4	mmc1_dat4						gpio1[4]
24	V7	GPIO1_1	gpmc_ad1	mmc1_dat1						gpio1[1]
25	U7	GPIO1_0	gpmc_ad0	mmc1_dat0						gpio1[0]
26	V6	GPIO1_29	gpmc_csn0							gpio1[29]
27	U5	GPIO2_22	lcd_vsync	gpmc_a8				pr1_pru1_pru_r30_8	pr1_pru1_pru_r31_8	gpio2[22]
28	V5	GPIO2_24	lcd_pclk	gpmc_a10				pr1_pru1_pru_r30_10	pr1_pru1_pru_r31_10	gpio2[24]
29	R5	GPIO2_23	lcd_hsync	gpmc_a9				pr1_pru1_pru_r30_9	pr1_pru1_pru_r31_9	gpio2[23]
30	R6	GPIO2_25	lcd_ac_bias_en	gpmc_a11						gpio2[25]
31	V4	UART5_CTSN	lcd_data14	gpmc_a18	eQEP1_index	mcaspo_axr1	uart5_rxd		uart5_ctsn	gpio0[10]
32	T5	UART5_RTSN	lcd_data15	gpmc_a19	eQEP1_strobe	mcaspo_ahclkx	mcaspo_axr3		uart5_rtsn	gpio0[11]
33	V3	UART4_RTSN	lcd_data13	gpmc_a17	eQEP1B_in	mcaspo_fsr	mcaspo_axr3		uart4_rtsn	gpio0[9]
34	U4	UART3_RTSN	lcd_data11	gpmc_a15	ehrpwm1B	mcaspo_ahclkx	mcaspo_axr2		uart3_rtsn	gpio2[17]
35	V2	UART4_CTSN	lcd_data12	gpmc_a16	eQEP1A_in	mcaspo_aclkr	mcaspo_axr2		uart4_ctsn	gpio0[8]
36	U3	UART3_CTSN	lcd_data10	gpmc_a14	ehrpwm1A	mcaspo_axr0			uart3_ctsn	gpio2[16]
37	U1	UART5_TXD	lcd_data8	gpmc_a12	ehrpwm1_tripzone_in	mcaspo_aclkr	uart5_txd		uart2_ctsn	gpio2[14]
38	U2	UART5_RXD	lcd_data9	gpmc_a13	ehrpwm0_synco	mcaspo_fsx	uart5_rxd		uart2_rtsn	gpio2[15]
39	T3	GPIO2_12	lcd_data6	gpmc_a6		eQEP2_index		pr1_pru1_pru_r30_6	pr1_pru1_pru_r31_6	gpio2[12]
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45	R1	GPIO2_6	lcd_data0	gpmc_a0		ehrpwm2A		pr1_pru1_pru_r30_0	pr1_pru1_pru_r31_0	gpio2[6]
46	R2	GPIO2_7	lcd_data1	gpmc_a1		ehrpwm2B		pr1_pru1_pru_r30_1	pr1_pru1_pru_r31_1	gpio2[7]

Expansion Header P9 Pinout



PIN	PROC	NAME	MODE0	MODE1	MODE2	MODE3	MODE4	MODE5	MODE6	MODE7
1,2						GND				
3,4						DC_3.3V				
5,6						VDD_5V				
7,8						SYS_5V				
9						PWR_BTN				
10	A10					SYS_RESETn				
11	T17	UART4_RXD	gpmc_wait0	mii2_crs	gpmc_csn4	rmii2_crs_dv	mmc1_sdcd		uart4_rxd_mux2	gpio0[30]
12	U18	GPIO1_28	gpmc_be1n	mii2_col	gpmc_csn6	mmc2_dat3	gpmc_dir		mcasp0_aclkr_mux3	gpio1[28]
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15	R13	GPIO1_16	gpmc_a0	gmii2_txen	rmii2_tctl	mii2_txen	gpmc_a16		ehrpwm1_tripzone_input	gpio1[16]
16	T14	EHRPWM1B	gpmc_a3	mii2_txd2	rgmii2_tdx	mmc2_dat2	gpmc_a19		ehrpwm1B_mux1	gpio1[19]
17	A16	I2C1_SCL	spi0_cs0	mmc2_sdwp	I2C1_SCL	ehrpwm0_synci	pr1_uart0_txd			gpio0[5]
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25	A14	GPIO3_21*	mcasp0_ahclkx	eQEP0_strobe	mcasp0_axr3	mcasp1_axr1	EMU4_mux2	pr1_pru0_pru_r30_7	pr1_pru0_pru_r31_7	gpio3[21]
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32						VADC				
33	C8					AIN4				
34						AGND				
35	A8					AIN6				
36	B8					AIN5				
37	B7					AIN2				
38	A7					AIN3				
39	B6					AIN0				
40	C7					AIN1				
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	D13	GPIO3_20	mcasp0_axr1	eQEP0_index		Mcasp1_axr0	emu3	pr1_pru0_pru_r30_6	pr1_pru0_pru_r31_6	gpio3[20]
	C18	GPIO0_7	eCAP0_in_PWM0_out	uart3_txd	spi1_cs1	pr1_ecap0_ecap_capi_n_apwm_o	spi1_sclk	mmc0_sdwp	xdma_event_intr2	gpio0[7]
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43-46						GND				



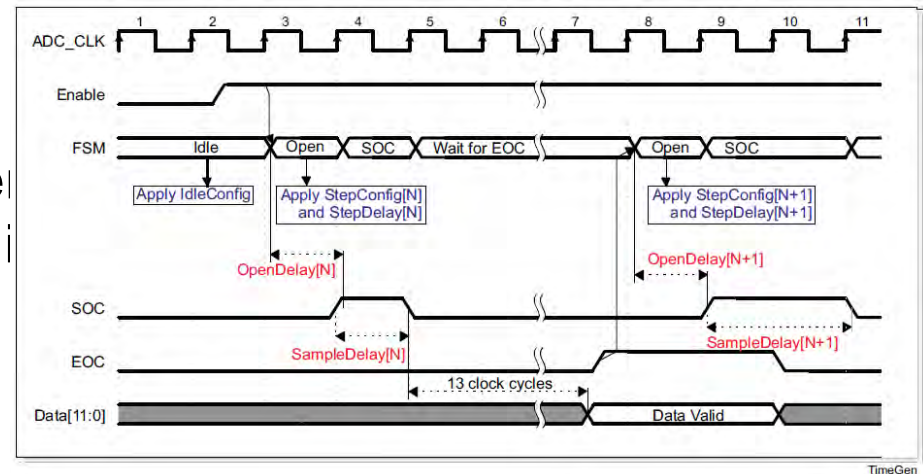
BACKUP: MEASUREMENTS

Measurement Timing



Lidar range and beam attitude measurements shall be taken within one microsecond.

- 15 ADC clocks per sample
625 ns full conversion
- Reading the quadrature decoder registers may be accomplished in this time (~4 ns)

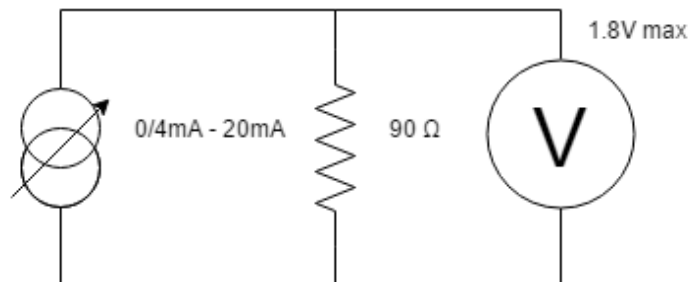


Full measurement time is limited by the ADC

Lidar Measurement

The lidar shall send range data to the on-board processor or DAQ

- The lidar produces a 0/4 mA to 20 mA current loop based off of the range between two set points A and B.
- A 90 ohm resistor is used to turn this into a 1.8 V max signal which is read on the microcontroller's ADC

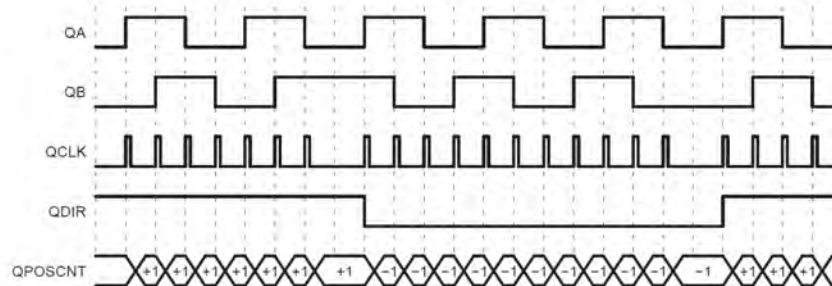


Resolution for a 12 Bit ADC
 $(15-0.2) \text{ m} / 2^{12} = 3.613 \text{ mm}$

Quadrature Decoding

The beam attitude measurement shall be sent to the on-board processor or DAQ.

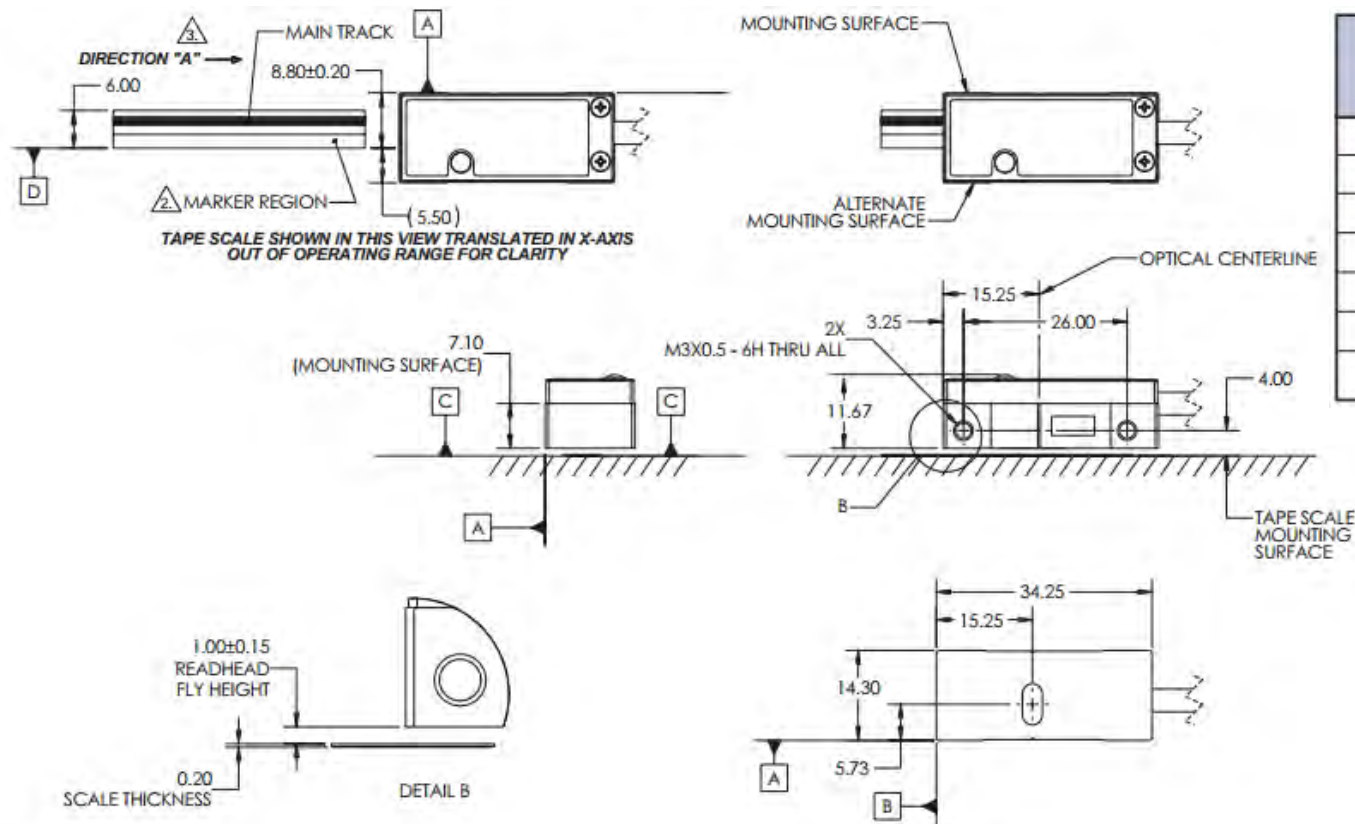
- The BeagleBone Black has quadrature decoders that interface directly with the OPS optical encoders
- Taking measurements is as simple as reading each counter



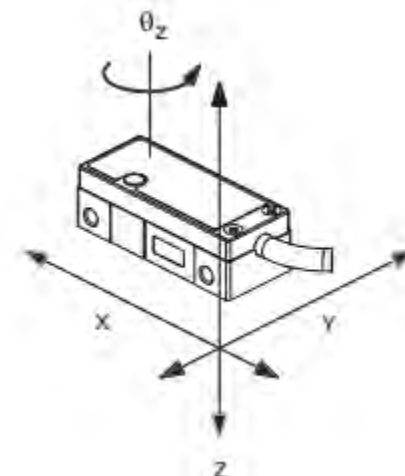


BACKUP: ENCODER INTEGRATION

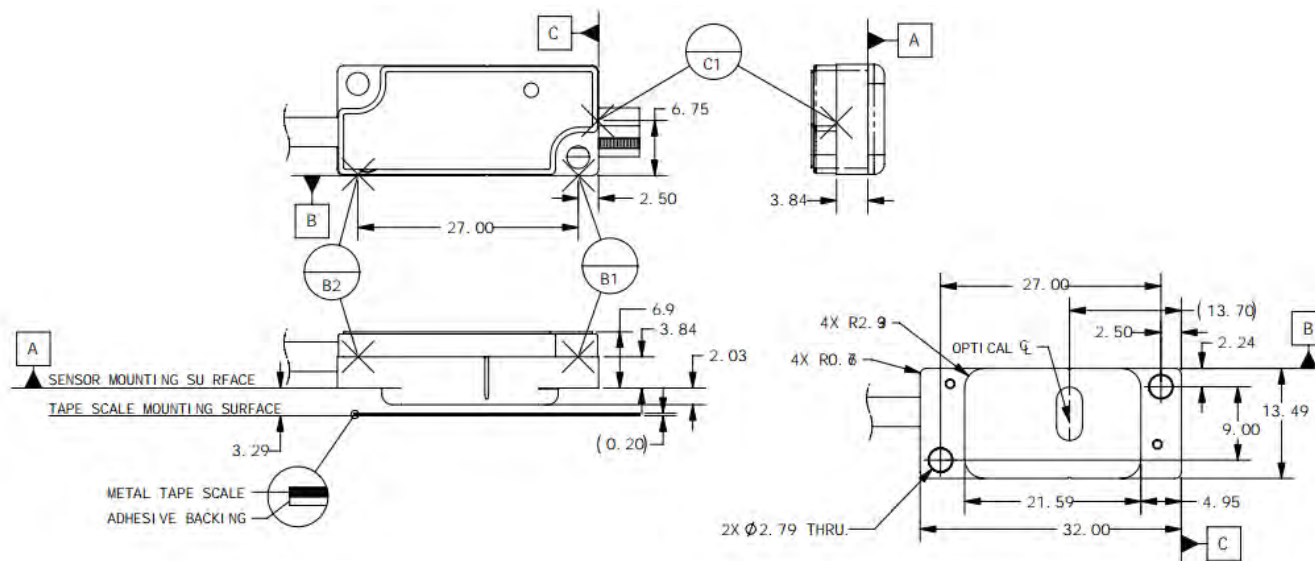
OPS Encoder Mounting Side



OPS Side Mount Configuration Sensor Alignment Tolerances	
Axis	Alignment Tolerance
X	Direction of Motion
Y	± 0.20mm
Z	± 0.15mm
θ_X	± 1.0°
θ_Y	± 1.0°
θ_Z	± 2.0°

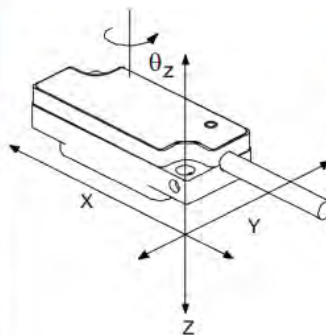


OPS Encoder Mounting Top



Wide Alignment Tolerances

OPS Top Mount Configuration Sensor Alignment Tolerances	
Axis	Alignment Tolerance
X	Direction of Motion
Y	± 0.20mm
Z	± 0.15mm
θ_X	± 1.0°
θ_Y	± 1.0°
θ_Z	± 2.0°



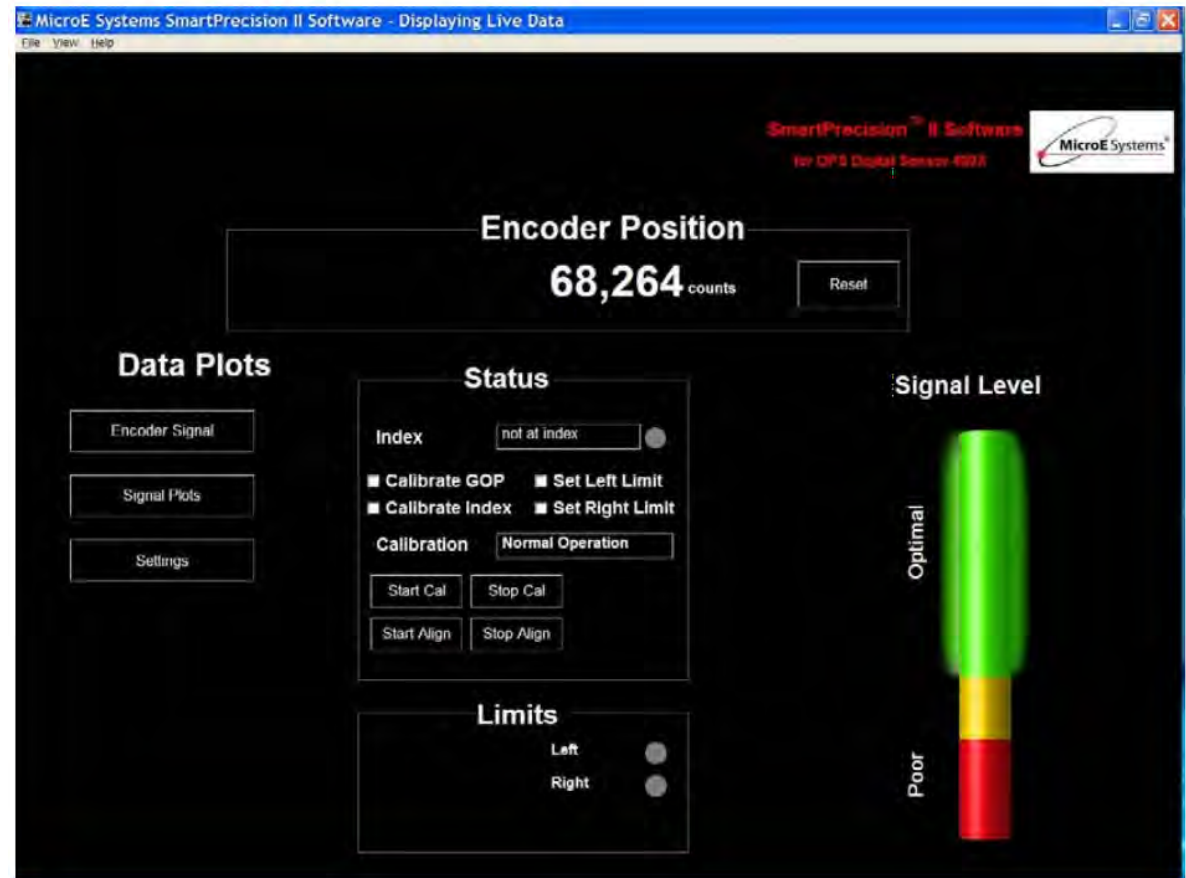
Sensor Size & Weight (top mount sensor)

Height	Width	Length
0.35 [8.93mm]	0.53 [13.49mm]	1.26 [32.00mm]
Weight	6g (without cable)	

OPS Encoder Alignment



OPS Alignment Tool.





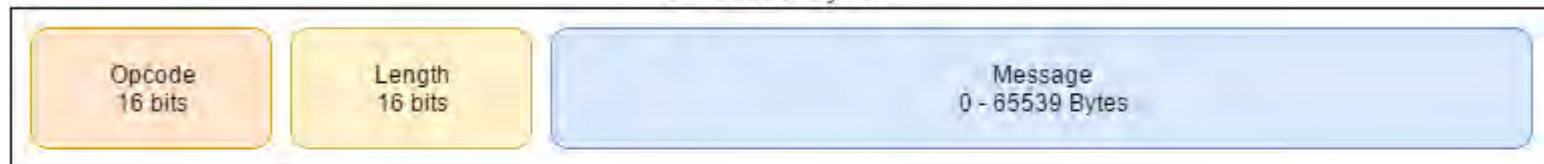
BACKUP: COMMUNICATION

Communication Between Microcontroller and PC

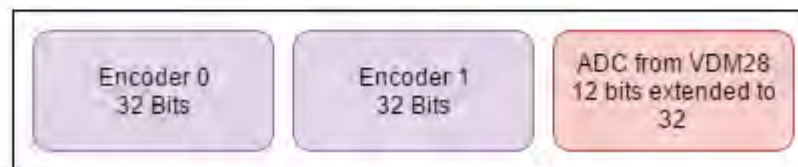
- UART – 115200 bits / sec
- USB 2.0 – 480 Mbits / sec (high speed)
- Ethernet/IP – 10/100/1000 Mbits /sec

Controller-PC communication layer agnostic to protocol

Communication Packet Between PC and BeagleBone
4 to 65539 Bytes

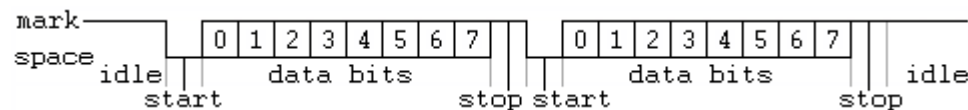


Sample Message Data



UART

- Will require an FTDI
- 115200 bits/s
- 8 data bits per packet
1 start and 1 stop
- 11520 bytes/s





Ethernet data rate feasibility



IPv4

Max Ethernet packet 1518 bytes

68 bytes of UDP overhead (with IP and Ethernet frames)

1472 bytes left for data → 60 measurements per packet

1512 byte total packet size

100 Mb/s: 8127 frames/sec * 1512 bytes/frame =
12.288 Mbytes/s

1000 Mb/s: 81274 frames/sec * 1512 bytes/frame =
122.8 Mbytes/s

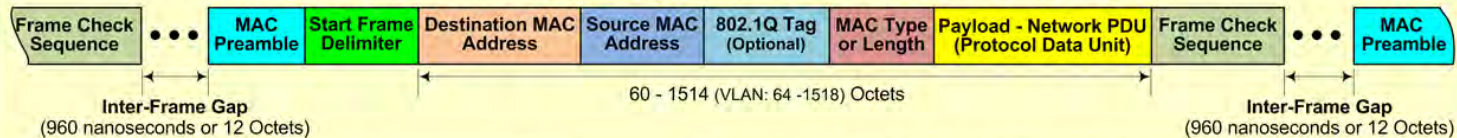
Ethernet UDP Overhead



Fast Ethernet (IEEE 802.3u) - UDP

Maximum Ethernet frames and data throughput rate calculations.

Fast Ethernet (IEEE 802.3u) Frame Structure with UDP Datagram



Fast Ethernet Frame Component Size With UDP Datagram

Frame Component	Component Size	
MAC Preamble	7 Octets of: 10101010	
Start Frame Delimiter	1 Octet of: 10101011	
Destination MAC Address	6 Octets	
Source MAC Address	6 Octets	
802.1Q VLAN TAG ID (Optional)	4 Octets (Optional)	
MAC Type or Length	2 Octets	
<div>MTU (Maximum Transmission Unit)</div> <div>Payload Network PDU Protocol Data Unit:</div> <div>Packet Segment</div>	IP Header	20 Octets
	UDP Header	8 Octets
	Data/Padding	18 - 1472 Octets
	Total:	46 - 1500 Octets (Max: 1504 – VLAN)
Frame Check Sequence (CRC)	4 Octets	
Inter-Frame Gap • • •	12 Octets (960 nanoseconds)	
Total Physical Frame Size:	84 – 1538 Octets (Max: 1544 -VLAN)	

Fast Ethernet Maximum Frame and Data Throughput Rate Calculation with UDP Datagram

Rate Term	Value
Fast Ethernet Bit Rate	100 Mbit/sec -or- 100Mb/sec
Fast Ethernet Bit Time	10 nanoseconds (.00000001 seconds)
1 Octet (Byte)	8 Bits
Max Octet Rate	$(100\text{Mb/sec}) / (8 \text{ Bits}) = 12,500,000 \text{ Octets/sec}$
Max Frame Rate (84 Octet Frames) Min Packet (60 Bytes + 4 Bytes CRC)	$(100\text{Mb/sec}) / (8 \text{ Bits}) * (84 \text{ Octets/Frame}) = 148,810 \text{ Frames/sec (FPS)}$
Max UDP Data Rate (84 Octet Frames) Min UDP Packet (60 Bytes + 4 Bytes CRC)	$(148,810 \text{ Frames/sec}) * (18 \text{ Bytes/Frame}) = 2,678,571 \text{ Bytes/sec}$
Max Frame Rate (1538 Octet Frames) Max Packet (1514 Bytes + 4 Bytes CRC)	$(100\text{Mb/sec}) / (8 \text{ Bits}) * (1538 \text{ Octets/Frame}) = 8,127 \text{ Frames/sec (FPS)}$
Max UDP Data Rate (1538 Octet Frames) Max UDP Packet (1514 Bytes + 4 Bytes CRC)	$(8,127 \text{ Frames/sec}) * (1472 \text{ Bytes/Frame}) = 11,963,589 \text{ Bytes/sec}$
Max Fast Ethernet Frame Bandwidth Max Packet (60 Bytes + 4 Bytes CRC)	$(148,810 \text{ Frames/sec}) * (64 \text{ Bytes/Frame}) = 9,523,840 \text{ Bytes/sec (9.082641 MiB/s)}$
Max Packet (60 Bytes)	$(148,810 \text{ Frames/sec}) * (60 \text{ Bytes/Frame}) = 8,928,600 \text{ Bytes/sec (8.514977 MiB/s)}$
Max Fast Ethernet Frame Bandwidth Max Packet (1514 Bytes + 4 Bytes CRC)	$(8,127 \text{ Frames/sec}) * (1518 \text{ Bytes/Frame}) = 12,336,786 \text{ Bytes/sec (11.765276 MiB/s)}$
Max Packet (1514 Bytes)	$(8,127 \text{ Frames/sec}) * (1514 \text{ Bytes/Frame}) = 12,304,278 \text{ Bytes/sec (11.734274 MiB/s)}$

*** Note 1: Units – M: 1,000,000 Mi: 1,048,576

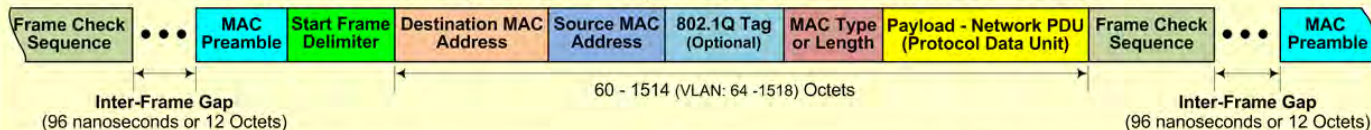
Ethernet UDP Overhead



Gigabit Ethernet (IEEE 802.3ab) - UDP

Maximum Ethernet frames and data throughput rate calculations.

Gigabit Ethernet (IEEE 802.3ab) Frame Structure with UDP Datagram



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Inter-Frame Gap • • •	12 Octets (96 nanoseconds)	
Total Physical Frame Size:	84 – 1538 Octets (Max: 1544 -VLAN)	

Gigabit Ethernet Maximum Frame and Data Throughput Rate Calculation with UDP Datagram

Rate Term	Value
Gigabit Ethernet Bit Rate	1000 Mbit/sec -or- 1000Mb/sec
Gigabit Ethernet Bit Time	1 nanosecond (.000000001 seconds)
1 Octet (Byte)	8 Bits
Max Octet Rate	$(1000\text{Mb/sec}) / (8\text{ Bits}) = 125,000,000\text{ Octets/sec}$
Max Frame Rate (84 Octet Frames) Min Packet (60 Bytes + 4 Bytes CRC)	$(1000\text{Mb/sec}) / (8\text{ Bits}) * (84\text{ Octets/Frame}) = 1,488,095\text{ Frames/sec (FPS)}$
Max UDP Data Rate (84 Octet Frames) Min UDP Packet (60 Bytes + 4 Bytes CRC)	$(1,488,095\text{ Frames/sec}) * (18\text{ Bytes/Frame}) = 26,785,714\text{ Bytes/sec}$
Max Frame Rate (1538 Octet Frames) Max Packet (1514 Bytes + 4 Bytes CRC)	$(1000\text{Mb/sec}) / (8\text{ Bits}) * (1538\text{ Octets/Frame}) = 81,274\text{ Frames/sec (FPS)}$
Max UDP Data Rate (1538 Octet Frames) Max UDP Packet (1514 Bytes + 4 Bytes CRC)	$(81,274\text{ Frames/sec}) * (1472\text{ Bytes/Frame}) = 119,635,891\text{ Bytes/sec}$
Max Gigabit Ethernet Frame Bandwidth Max Packet (60 Bytes + 4 Bytes CRC)	$(1,488,095\text{ Frames/sec}) * (64\text{ Bytes/Frame}) = 95,238,080\text{ Bytes/sec (90.876031 MiB/s)}$
Max Packet (60 Bytes)	$(1,488,095\text{ Frames/sec}) * (60\text{ Bytes/Frame}) = 89,285,700\text{ Bytes/sec (85.149477 MiB/s)}$
Max Gigabit Ethernet Frame Bandwidth Max Packet (1514 Bytes + 4 Bytes CRC)	$(81,274\text{ Frames/sec}) * (1518\text{ Bytes/Frame}) = 123,373,932\text{ Bytes/sec (117.658550 MiB/s)}$
Max Packet (1514 Bytes)	$(81,274\text{ Frames/sec}) * (1514\text{ Bytes/Frame}) = 123,048,836\text{ Bytes/sec (117.348515 MiB/s)}$

*** Note 1: IEEE 802.3ab - Gigabit Ethernet over copper twisted-pair cabling.

*** Note 2: Gigabit Ethernet allows for larger MTUs (Jumbo or Super Jumbo Frames).

*** Note 3: Units - M: 1,000,000 Mi: 1,048,576

USB Data Rate Feasibility



- Universal Serial Bus Specification Revision 2.0

Table 5-10. High-speed Bulk Transaction Limits

Protocol Overhead (55 bytes)		(3x4 SYNC bytes, 3 PID bytes, 2 EP/ADDR+CRC bytes, 2 CRC16, and a 3x(1+11) byte interpacket delay (EOP, etc.))			
Data Payload	Max Bandwidth (bytes/second)	Microframe Bandwidth per Transfer	Max Transfers	Bytes Remaining	Bytes/ Microframe Useful Data
1	1064000	1%	133	52	133
2	2096000	1%	131	33	262
4	4064000	1%	127	7	508
8	7616000	1%	119	3	952
16	13440000	1%	105	45	1680
32	22016000	1%	86	18	2752
64	32256000	2%	63	3	4032
128	40960000	2%	40	180	5120
256	49152000	4%	24	36	6144
512	53248000	8%	13	129	6656
Max	60000000				7500

21 measurements for the maximum data payload produces a 508-byte data payload
Speeds should be over 50 million bytes a second

USB 2.0

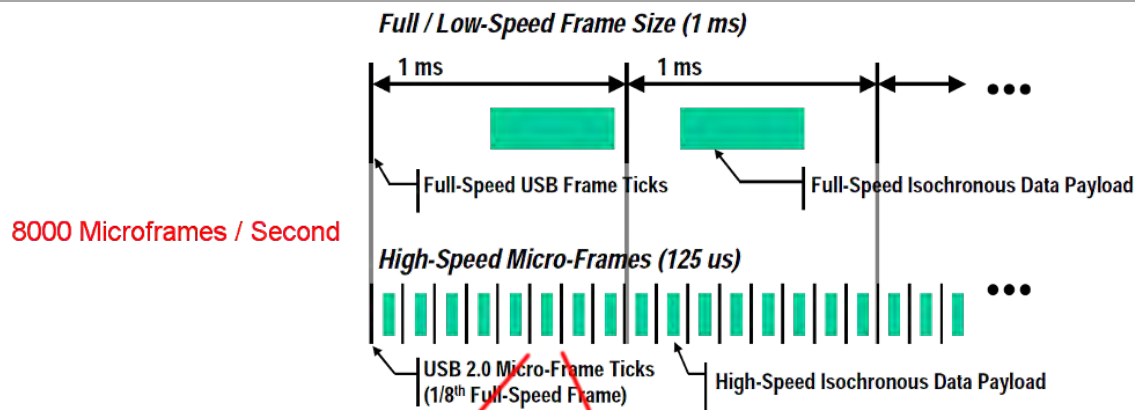


Figure 8-14. Relationship between Frames and Microframes

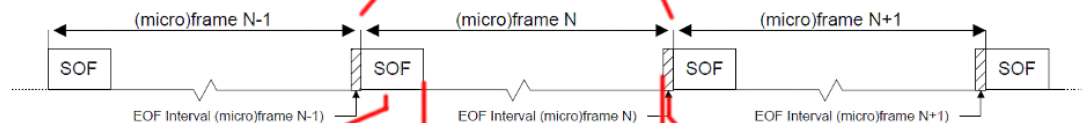


Figure 10-3. Frame and Microframe Creation

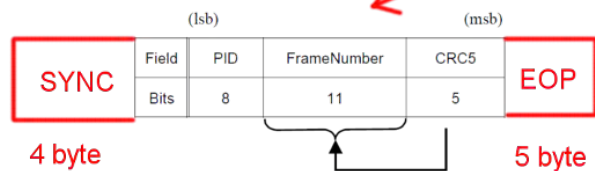


Figure 8-13. SOF Packet

Timeslot for Packets
= 60 kbit - 104 bit

1 byte

USB 2.0

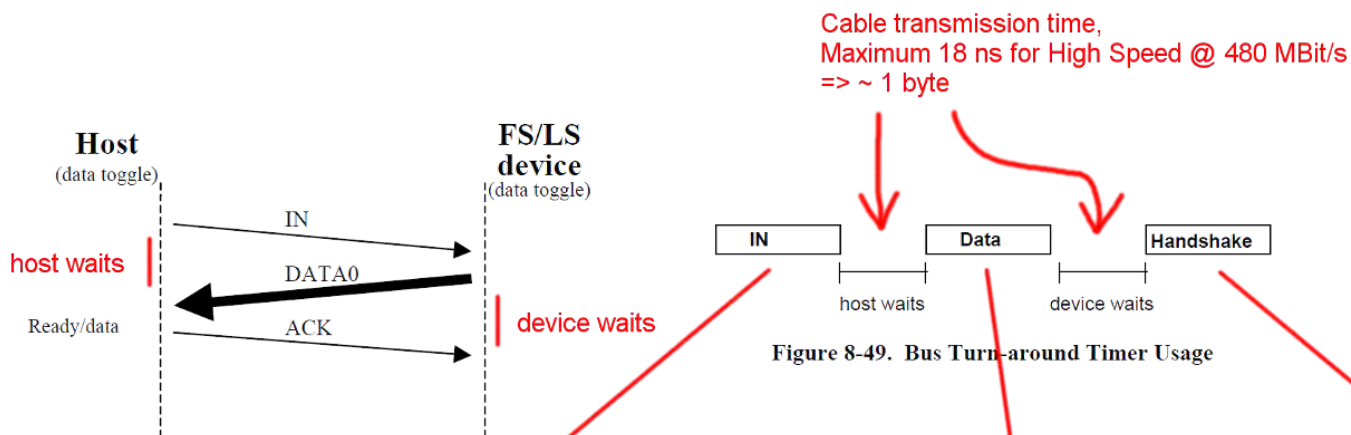


Figure 8-49. Bus Turn-around Timer Usage

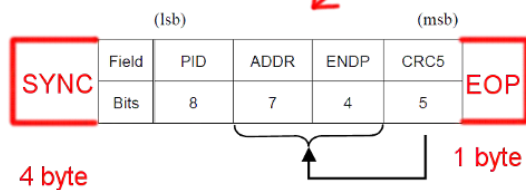


Figure 8-5. Token Format

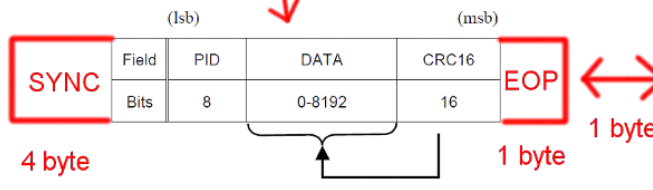


Figure 8-15. Data Packet Format

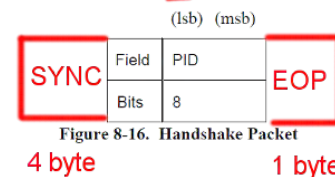
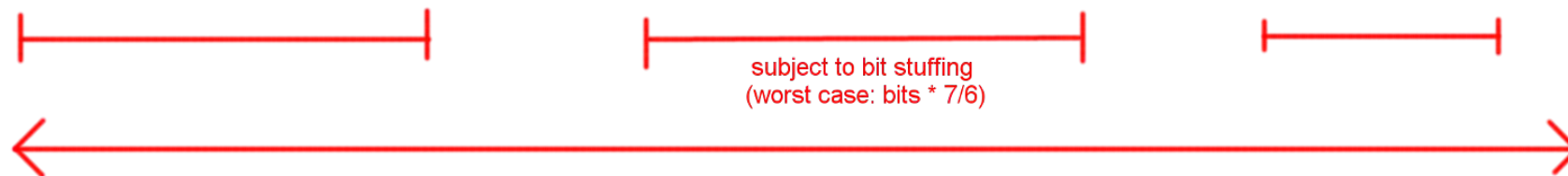


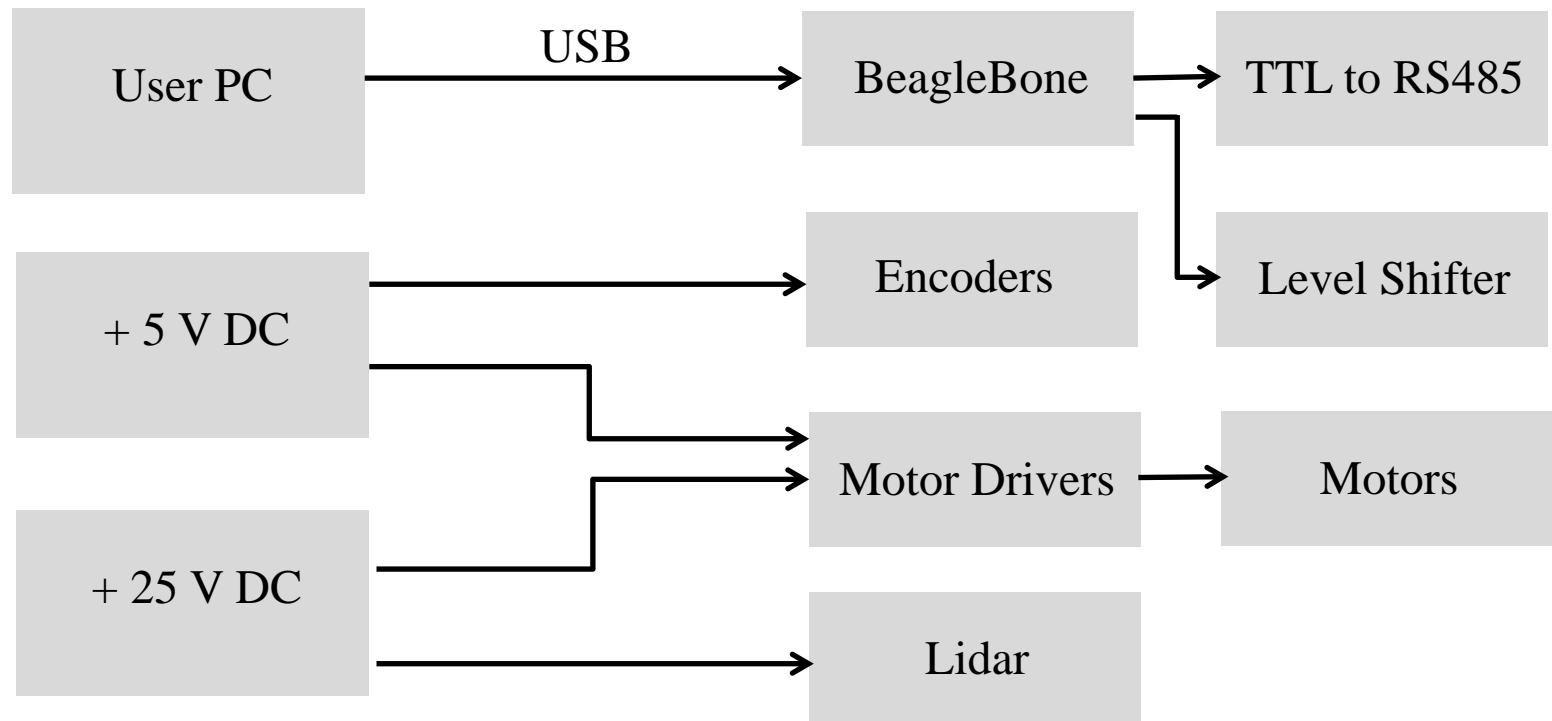
Figure 8-16. Handshake Packet



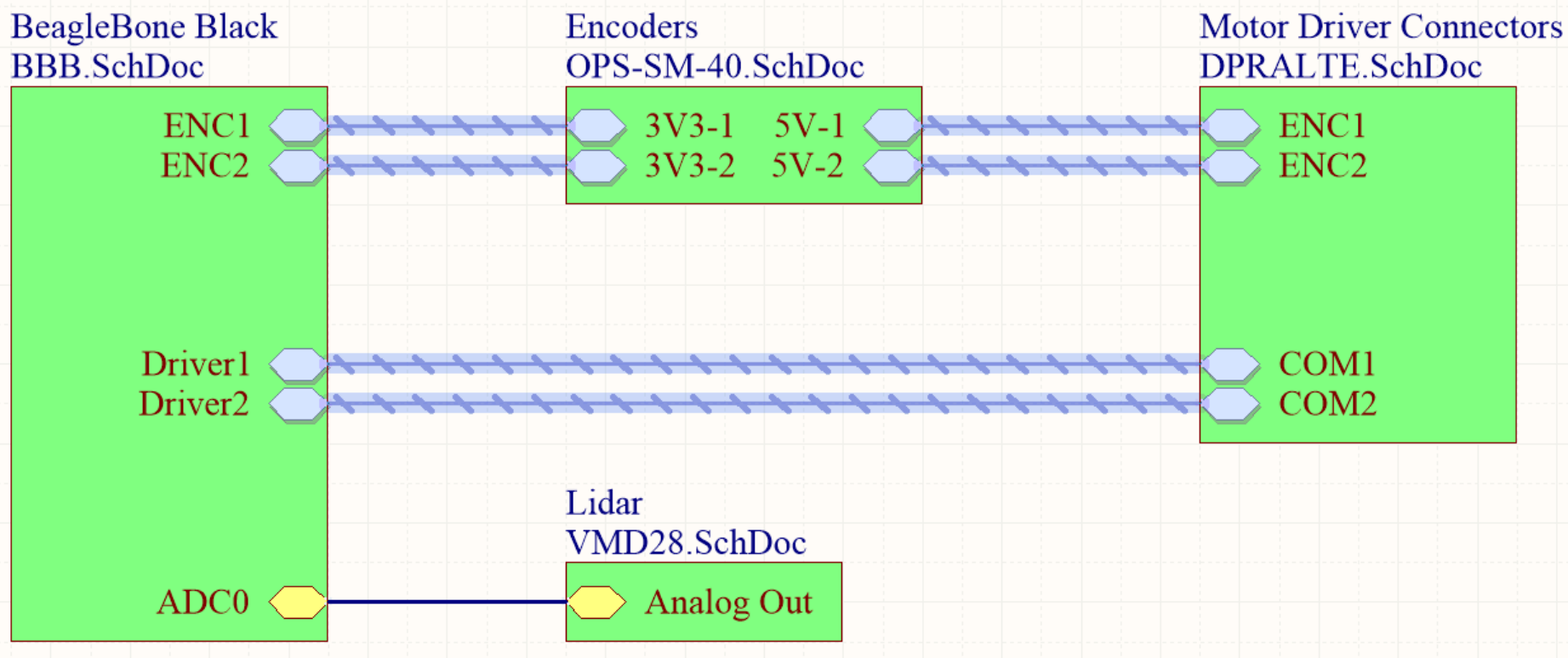
Power

Power supplies:

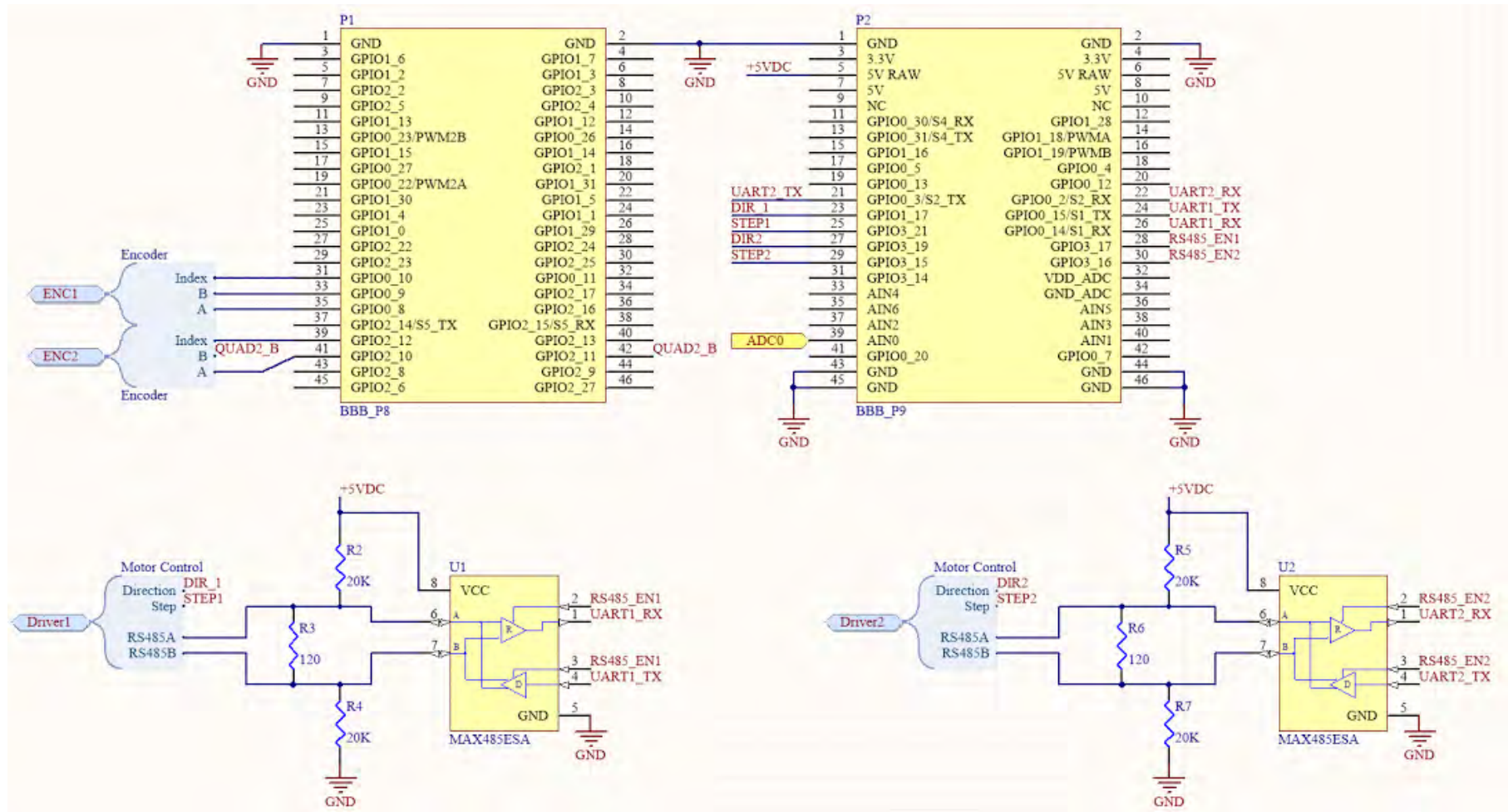
Components that require power:



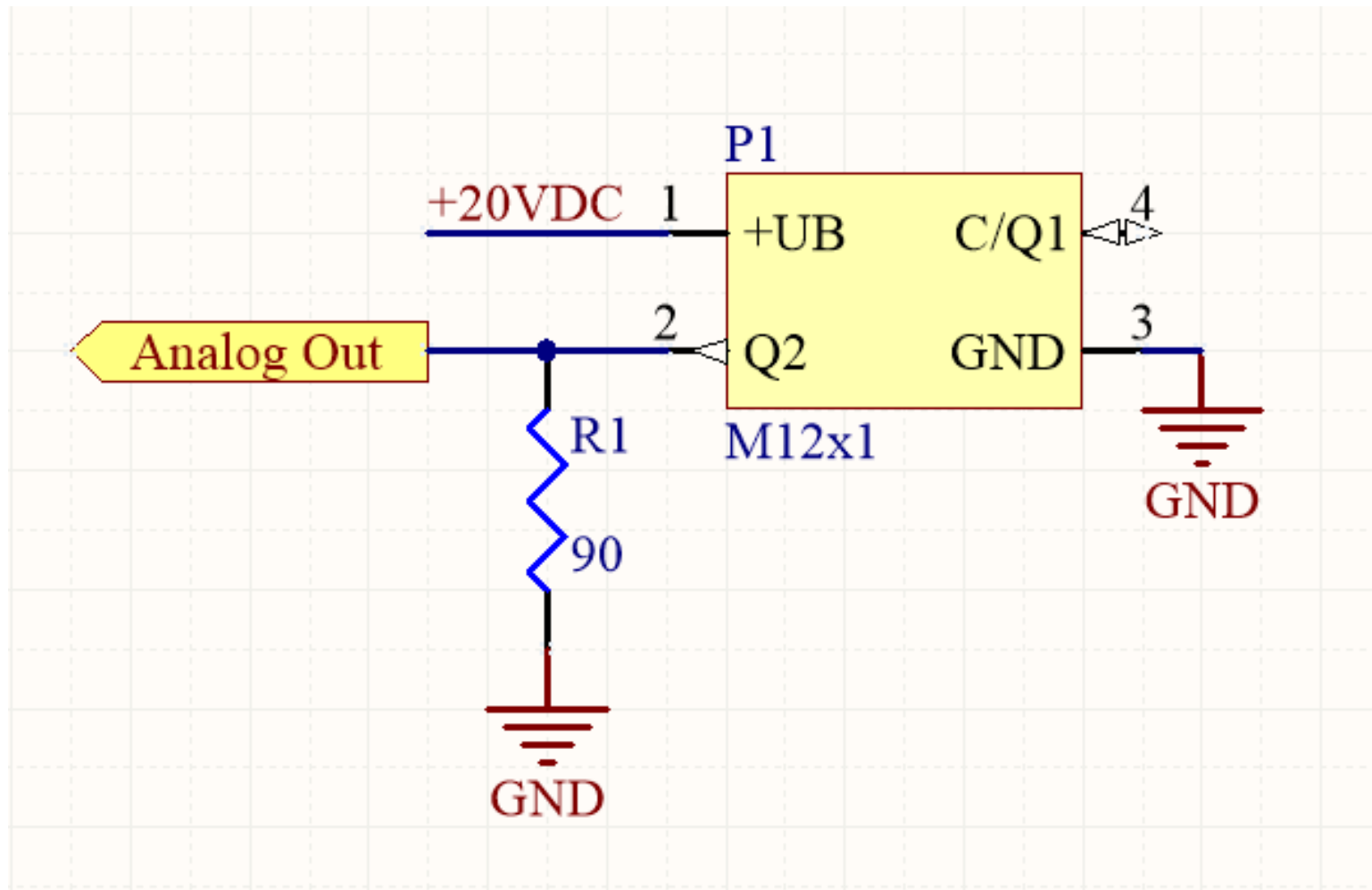
Top Level Connections



BeagleBone Connections



Lidar Connections





BACKUP: VERIFICATION AND VALIDATION

Artec Eva Lite 3D Scanner



Specifications

- 3D resolution: 0.5 mm
- 3D point accuracy: 0.1 mm

Output

- Creates a SOLIDWORKS file of the scanned object/surface



Scan Pattern Feasibility



Solution: Perform two system-level tests:

1. Verify that the sensor package can obtain measurements with the required resolution in a longer period of time
2. Verify the ability of the system to perform a 60-second scan/analysis, even though the required resolution cannot be met

Resolution requirement test:

- Lidar frequency: 100 Hz
- Point spacing (exterior): 2.5 cm
- Exterior spiral arc length: 32.32 m
- Time to complete scan: ~12 min
- Maximum prism angular acceleration
- Required angular velocity:
4.6536 rpm
- Maximum prism angular acceleration:
 $4.8\text{e-}6 \text{ rad/s}^2$

Time requirement test:

- Spiral spacing of 8.66 cm gives 59 total spirals
- Time: 50 seconds (leaving margin for analysis)
- Required lidar frequency: 382 Hz
- Required angular velocity:
71.0763 rpm
- Maximum prism angular acceleration:
 $3.76\text{e-}6 \text{ rad/s}^2$

Test Setup (Lidar)

- Receive return through glass
 - Shoot lidar through panes of glass and use oscilloscope to determine if the lidar is receiving a return
- Range, error and precision
 - Over a timespan on 60 sec, consistent measurements with accuracy of ± 5 cm must be taken
- Reflective tape
 - Measure signal return accuracy, consistency, and strength from surface with and without retro-reflective tape
- Sample Frequency
 - Using an oscilloscope, determine time (in milliseconds) between range measurements

Test Setup (Prisms)

- Must be able to turn beam 20°
 - Mount prisms parallel to lidar, manually rotate prisms and verify 20° beam divergence
- Returns through glass
 - If the lidar does not receive returns through glass, replace the glass with coated prisms and repeat trials

Test Setup (Encoders)

- Determine functionality of hardware
 - Connect encoders to microprocessor and motors
 - Manually move motor to verify functionality of encoders
 - This is just to test connectivity and verify that communication is working properly

Test Setup (Motors)

- Motor functionality
 - Connect motors to motor drivers and provide any arbitrary commands, verify response happens
- All required motor rates must be achievable
 - Once motor, encoder, driver, and microprocessor system is fully integrated
 - Command to maximum rate of 71 rpm and hold for 50 sec
 - Command to minimum rate of 4 rpm and hold for 13 min
- Time to accelerate to desired motor rates
 - Given motor rate commands, verify motor accelerations are within desired bounds from encoder output analysis

Test Setup (Motor Drivers)



- Given any input the drivers must change the position of the motors
 - This can be visually verified
- Verify that command accuracy of 0.1° can be met
 - Can verify commanded vs actual by manually comparing commanded angle and actual angle
 - Can more accurately verify by comparing computational models of prism rotation, given a single motor angle displacement, against encoder positions
 - Measuring initial and final laser position physically and predictively in software



Test Setup (Software)



- Unit tests
 - x, y, z coordinate rotation
 - Read in IMU data, prism positions, and range
 - Combine to produce range measurement
 - Actual hazard output should match expected
 - Expected generated by software mockup
 - Generate health and status reports
 - Output results